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6. Terms of sale are strictly cash in United States funds. **Foreign payments must be made in U.S. dollars and all checks must be drawn on United States banks.** Payment must be made immediately upon receipt of invoice or, at our option, upon receipt of material. Because we pay our consignors in no more than 45 days after the close of the sale, a late payment fee of 2% per month will be charged on all accounts remaining unpaid thirty days after the closing date of the sale.
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8. All books are as described. We acknowledge the possibility of errors and typographical mistakes, and any errors on our part will be cheerfully corrected. We cannot, however, be responsible for your errors; please check your bid sheet carefully.
9. Title to all lots remains with the cataloguer until paid for in full. We reserve the discretionary right to withhold delivery of lots until full payment has been received. We reserve the right to reject any bid from any bidder which we deem is not made in good faith. We reserve the right to reject any bid which, in our opinion, is ridiculous.
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Cataloguer and Editor of The Money Tree Publications, ANA, NBS, EAC

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FINE - nice, clean copy, slight signs of use
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GOOD - average used and worn copy, complete
READING (or RESEARCH) COPY - poor, but readable
EX-LIBRARY - with library identification marks

ABBREVIATIONS

CaC - card covers
Est. - price estimates, generally an enclosed sheet
Ills. - illustrations within text, generally photographs
O.O.A.L. (OUT ON A LIMB) - the Money Tree's periodical journal
o/w - otherwise
pls. - plates, generally full pages of photographs
pp. - pages
PRL. - prices realized for auctions
rep. - a reprint, generally with both original and reprint dates
Vals. - values listed, as in a price catalogue

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FOREWORD

We are quite pleased to present our eleventh mail-bid sale featuring the numismatic library of DR. KARL F. LUTOMSKI. Some of the highlights in this our largest mail-bid sale to date are listed below in the various sections devoted to each of our distinguished consignors. We genuinely believe that this sale contains the most comprehensive offering of numismatic literature we have yet presented.

DR. KARL LUTOMSKI, a Michigan resident, was an advanced collector of Canadian numismatics for many years. At various times, he owned virtually all of the grand Canadian rarities except for the 1911 dollar. Among the highlights of his numismatic library offered here are many of the original works of Breton, Courteau, Leroux, and McLachlan. A particularly special work is Dr. Anthon's annotated copy of Alfred Sandham's 1869 classic COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA. Two special items are the deluxe auction catalogues of the MC KAY-CLEMENTS sale and the GAVER COLLECTION sales. The large offering of the CANADIAN AND ANTIQUARIAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL offered here are from the holdings of another numismatist.

The highlights of his United States numismatic literature include the Clapp and Newcomb THE UNITED STATES CENTS OF THE YEARS 1795, 1796, 1797, and 1800; a copy of Sheldon's EARLY AMERICAN CENTS and two different editions of PENNY WHIMSY; James Snowden's 1860 DESCRIPTION OF ANCIENT AND MODERN COINS IN THE CABINET COLLECTION AT THE MINT OF THE UNITED STATES, and the first 37 editions of the REDBOOK. His world numismatic literature is highlighted by the three volume set of the 1787-1788 COUNTESSE DE BENTINCK COLLECTION DE MEDAILLES ANTIQUES.

Among his notable auction catalogues are deluxe versions of the Ray Byrne collection, the Federal Brands 1963 F.U.N. Sale, Kagin's 1977 A.N.A. sale, the RARCOA N.M. KAUFFMAN sale, and a beautifully bound volume of priced and named Sotheby sales from the 19th century.

Another consignment from an EASTERN NUMISMATIST contains a deluxe edition of Barney Bluestone's GRINNELL sales of paper money; the limited edition photographic plate volume of the Bowers and Merena FREDERICK TAYLOR collection; and deluxe editions of Stack's WOLFSON and DI BELLO collections; and deluxe editions of Superior's 1972 C.O.I.N., The GILHOUSEN Collection, The RUBY Collection, The 1975 A.N.A. Collection, The RIO RANCHO Collection, and several others.

We have been featuring nineteenth century auction catalogues in our previous two sales. In the consignment from the EASTERN NUMISMATIST are over 170 of them highlighted by a plated copy of the Chapmans' DOHRMAN sale, many Frossard sales highlighted by a plated EDWARDS-HAWLEY sale, a large offering of J.W. Haseltine sales in nice condition, and a good offering of Lyman Low, Scott, and Woodward sales.

DAN HYLAN's consignment features the Clapp and Newcomb THE UNITED STATES CENTS OF THE YEARS 1795, 1796, 1797, and 1800; early issues of PENNY-WISE; the important 1975 E.A.C. SALE of Connecticut coppers; a copy of Sheldon's EARLY AMERICAN CENTS and a 1965 PENNY WHIMSY.

In the continuation of JOHN ADAMS' previous consignment of nineteenth century catalogues are many Ed Cogan sales including a plated MONTREAL collection catalogue, and important Woodward sales. A highlight of Mr. Adams' consignment is a large offering of ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE UNITED STATES MINT from 1873 onward.

KIRBY BROWN's consignment is highlighted by this sale's third large offering of nineteenth century catalogues. The highlight of the twentieth century offerings here, many more of which will be featured in our twelfth sale, are a nearly complete set of New Netherlands' NUMISMA.

CHARLES KIRTLEY's consignment features a variety of important and scarce references including a copy of Thomas Elder's 1911 WILLIAM WOODIN sale.

RICK PONTERIO's section is highlighted by a variety of references about Spanish and Latin-American numismatics. A special offering consists of all 10 parts of Sotheby's VIRGIL BRAND sales from 1982 to 1985.

DAVID COHEN's consignment features many A.N.S. monographs and an important offering of auction catalogues about numismatic literature.

HANK SPANGENBERGER's consignment is highlighted by an original proclamation from Monroe, Michigan announcing the death of DR. GEORGE HEATH.

WAYNE HOMREN's consignment features two copies of Griffith's 1959 THE STORY OF THE AMERICAN BANK NITE COMPANY; and Lewis' 1882 A HISTORY OF THE BANK OF NORTH AMERICA.

Highlights from the other consignors include the important Harlan Smith 1886 catalogue of the DR. EDWARD MARIS Collection sale; Helbing's 1927 auction of the PILOTY-HERMANN sale; Volumes I and II of THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL Collective Volumes; the 1964 HISTORY OF THE BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING; a 1983 reprint of Frossard's NUMISMA; the 1878 Loubat MEDALLIC HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES; the first 5 years of the TAMS JOURNAL; a deluxe edition of Lester Merkin's LOUIS HELFENSTEIN Collection of Large Cents; Santamaria's 1932 CARLO GUSBERTI Collection; and all three parts of Sotheby's 1927 HUTH Collection.

We hope that you will enjoy this catalogue. We are quite certain that everyone regardless of budget or area of collecting interest will find something he or she has been looking for. Good collecting and good hunting.

The DR. KARL F. LUTOMSKI Collection
of Numismatic Literature

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THE CANADIAN ANTIQUARIAN AND ANTIQUARIAN JOURNAL

1. THE CANADIAN ANTIQUARIAN AND NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. 1872-1933. 91 of 110 issues. (1500.00)

BACKGROUND. C-S 447. THE CANADIAN ANTIQUARIAN AND NUMISMATIC JOURNAL (CANJ), the Journal of the Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal ranks with THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NUMISMATICS and THE NUMISMATIST as the three most historically significant numismatic journals on the continent. However, many numismatists are unfamiliar both with its importance and its great rarity. Although there are more complete sets extant of the CANJ than of THE NUMISMATIST - perhaps a total of two dozen - most complete sets of the CANJ tend to be impounded in various museum and library collections, mostly in Canada. Consequently, there are notably fewer sets of the CANJ in private hands than there are privately owned complete sets of THE NUMISMATIST. In fact, we can only be certain of THREE other sets in private hands in the U.S., as opposed to at least 9 privately owned sets of THE NUMISMATIST. As even individual issues rarely turn up in the market, it is most assuredly a special occasion for such a substantial number of issues to be offered. This particular set was consigned by an advanced U.S. collector of numismatic literature who felt it appropriate for it to be included with the Dr. Lutomski's offering of Canadian numismatic literature.

A BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE CANJ: As numismatics in Canada during the 19th century grew much more slowly than in the U.S., the CANJ, the journal of The Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Montreal, was the focal point for Canadian numismatics until the 1930's. Its great strength was based upon the impressive numismatists whose comprised its membership - Sandham, McLachlan, Morin, et al. - and their vision.

To increase membership the Society decided to devote itself also to antiquarian concerns. Consequently, the CANJ is not exclusively a numismatic journal. However, paraphrasing THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NUMISMATICS' self-description, the CANJ can be considered to be THE early history of Canadian numismatics. The only exceptions to this were the various early standard reference works, which generally had been written by Society members.

The detailed numismatic contents of the CANJ can be found in the June 1989 issue of OUT ON A LIMB, The Money Tree's periodical journal. But because of the special nature of this offering, the specific highlights of each series and the important elements of each of the volumes will be detailed.

CONDITION- THE COVERS: Each of the issues has both covers present, although about 15% may have one or both disbound. As originally mailed, some of the early issues will have a vertical bisecting fold, from mailing. Because it was expected that these issues would be professionally bound, the original paper covers were flimsy and fragile. As time has passed, the original covers have tended to chip. Correspondingly, many of the issues (especially the early ones) are quite heavily chipped at the backstrip. Again with the expectation of their being bound, the edges are untrimmed and some of the issues are unopened. A very few issues may have some waterstaining. The edges of several may have the inkstamp of the University of Montreal. Or to be brief: "Some covers a bit worn, some early issues once folded, one or two a trifle waterstained. Generally a Fine run", as described by George Kolbe in the Seventh Joint Kolbe & Spink Auction Sale, December 10-11, 1988, lot 91.

CONDITION- THE CONTENTS: Generally the contents are sound, clean, and Fine or better. There may be the occasional internal inkstamp of a previous owner. Consequently, the internal quality of these issues and the essential soundness of the main portions of the both covers of each issue justify a quality binding for these issues.

FEATURES:

FIRST SERIES: Volume I (1872) - Volume XIII (1886). Missing 6 issues (Volume V, nos. 3 & 4; Vol VI nos. 3 & 4, Volume XIII, Nos. 3 & 4)

Numismatic Highlights: a photographic plate of Stanley Bagg, one of the Society founders; several engravings by the British American Bank Note Company; Stevenson's monograph "The Money of Canada in Olden Times"; McLachlan's important "The Cuvillier currency of 1837" with 5 currency engravings; extensive coverage of the Caxton Exhibition (William Caxton introduced printing into England in 1477); McLachlan's important "Temperance Medals"; William McLennan's "The History of Engraving"; McLachlan's series "Money and Medals of Canada under the Old Regime." "Thomas Warner" on free-endpaper.

SECOND SERIES: Volume I (1889-90)-Volume III (1893-1894). Missing 6 issues (Volume I, Nos. 2-4; Vol. II, No. 1; Volume III, nos. 1 & 2)

Numismatic Highlights: A variety of important McLachlan's important monographs, including: "Beaver Currency Tokens of the Hudson's Bay Company", "Recent Frauds in Canadian Coins", and the critically important "How the Chateau de Ramezay was saved."

THIRD SERIES: Volume I (1898) to Volume 12 (1916). Missing 6 issues (Vol I, nos. 3 & 4; Vol. II, nos. 1 & 2; Vol IX, nos 1-2)

Numismatic Highlights: McLachlan wrote most of the numismatic articles. Of special significance: "Patterns Struck at the Royal Mint for Canada", "The Canadian Wellington Tokens", "Canadian Card Money", and his history of the Montreal Society.

FOURTH SERIES: Volume I (1930) to Volume IV (1933). Missing 1 issue (Vol. IV, 1933)

Numismatic Highlights: Articles on Indian peace medals and Canadian military medals.

SUMMARY: In our sixth mail bid sale (July 31, 1989), we were fortunate to offer a complete set of CANJ from the library of Remy Bourne. What we believe to have been the first complete set to have been sold at auction in the United States eventually sold for \$3500. Despite there being 19 issues missing from this grouping, this is still one of the largest offerings of the CANJ ever to be offered at mail bid in the United States.

Other Canadian Numismatic Literature

2. Aaron, Robert (compiler). **ROYAL CANADIAN MINT REPORTS 1935-1972. 1974. 4to, original cloth tape and paper covers. Approximately 1000 pages. Charts and plates. With the 2 pages originally omitted tipped in. The covers are better than Fine. The contents are VF. (90.00)**

"... with government permission [Aaron] reprinted 100 copies of Royal Canadian Mint and sold them to interested researchers and donated his \$900 profit to the three Canadian numismatic organizations," from the **CANADIAN COIN NEWS**, September 4, 1990, page 11. The article further details that the current demand for this book is that "recent trading prices ... are about three times the original [\$31.50] price."

This is an invaluable compendium of research material. Unlike those issued by the United States Mint, Canadian mint reports, especially the early ones, are extremely scarce. This includes a mimeographed letter from Aaron dated August 27, 1974 detailing publishing information and that as of the date on this letter 88 orders had been received. Scarce and important.

3. Becker, J. Richard. **THE DECIMAL COINAGE OF NOVA SCOTIA, NEW BRUNSWICK AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND. 1975. 12mo, blue cloth, gilt. 72 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)**

Limited to 500 copies. From the Preface: "The majority of the material for this research consists of official provincial statutes, laws and records, newspaper accounts and official correspondence contemporary to the period covered."

4. Bowman, Fred. **CANADIAN PATTERNS. 1957. 12mo, yellow printed CaC. 11 pp. Ills. An offprint from the CNA JOURNAL. VF. (15.00)**

Ex-Katen 47, lot 622. This serial compilation lists and illustrates 43 Canadian and maritime patterns from 1823 to 1928.

5. Bowman, Fred. **COMMUNION TOKENS OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA. 1965. 12mo, blue cloth, lettered in silver. 89 pp. Ills. VF. (25.00)**

This was the first substantial work to be done on the series since MacLennan's in 1924 which followed McLachlan's 1891 classic. This is a descriptive cataloguing with historical narrative of 278 types followed by a conversion chart to the other communion token works.

6. Breton, P.N. **BRETON'S ILLUSTRATED CANADIAN COIN COLLECTOR / LE COLLECTIONNEUR ILLUSTRÉ DES MONNAIES CANADIENNES PAR P.N. BRETON. 1890. 12mo, paper covers. 48 pages of which 43 which are engraved illustrations. Rarity guide. The chipped covers are separated by=ut present. The contents are Fine. (35.00)**

"My aim in preparing this work has been to stimulate collecting, by stirring up old collectors and creating a taste for study among those to whom its attractions are unknown ..." The 313 coin/token engravings were prepared from drawings by George Bertrand, "artist". A scarce, important early Canadian numismatic guide.

7. Breton, P.N. **BRETON'S ILLUSTRATED CANADIAN COIN COLLECTOR, 1st Annual Supplement / LE COLLECTIONNEUR ILLUSTRÉ DES MONNAIES CANADIENNES PAR P.N. BRETON. 1er Supplement Annuel. June 1892. 12mo, The chipped original wraps are disbound, but present. 20 pages 14 of which are engraved illustrations. Rarity guide. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)**

"Encouraged by the success of [the 1890 original edition], of which I sold four thousand copies, I am induced to publish my first annual supplement which illustrates 108 pieces, mostly composed of tokens and business cards."

8. Breton, P.N. **ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF COINS AND TOKENS RELATING TO CANADA / HISTOIRE ILLUSTRÉE DES MONNAIES ET JETONS DU CANADA. 1894. 8vo, original tan printed paper covers. 239 pp. Ills. The original covers are chipped at the periphery, heavily at the spine. The contents are Fine. (25.00)**

Subtitled "Giving illustrations with the history, degree of rarity and approximate current prices of all known Canadian coins and tokens; Biographies and Portraits of the Principal Canadian Collectors; Also, List of Card and Paper Money." Each page has the French and English text juxtaposed. The woodcut illustrations are followed by pertinent historical and numismatic information. A classic.

9. Breton, P.N. **ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF COINS AND TOKENS RELATING TO CANADA / HISTOIRE ILLUSTRÉE DES MONNAIES ET JETONS DU CANADA. 1894. 8vo, later brown leather, gilt, with the original tan printed paper covers bound inside. 239 pp. Ills. The original covers are slightly chipped. Otherwise VF. (25.00)**

AS ABOVE. With Dr. Lutomski's name lettered in gilt on the front cover. Douglas Robins found a hoard of these in an attic on the Magdalen Islands in 1977. Through Robins' house organ, **A COLLECTOR'S ITEM**, he offered these both unbound and bound in leather. These leatherbound copies are especially nice.

10. Breton, P.N. ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF COINS AND TOKENS RELATING TO CANADA / HISTOIRE ILLUSTRÉE DES MONNAIES ET JETONS DU CANADA. 1894. 8vo, later black leather, gilt. The original front cover is not bound in; the original paper rear cover is bound. 239 pp. Ills. Fine. (25.00)
AS ABOVE, but privately bound in black leather.

11. The Canadian Numismatic Association. THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC BULLETIN. 1950-1955, complete. 4to, bound in eight matching card binders. The typescript contents printed on rectos. The contents are nearly VF. (200.00)

The C.N.A. produced THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC BULLETIN for six years before changing the name and format of the periodical to THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL in 1956. It may surprise some that there was no national Canadian numismatic organization until 1950: "It is true that efforts have been made in the past to create both [a national numismatic publication and a national numismatic organization] but these efforts have met with indifferent success." The Ottawa Coin Club, formed in 1948, decided at its 1950 annual meeting to reorganize itself as the CNA. The third issue of the BULLETIN (April 1950) noted that membership was approaching 130 (!).

The early issues dealt with Canadian coinage, listing the owners of the significant Canadian decimal coinage rarities, and updated membership lists. Featured serially throughout the early issues was Fred Bowman's "Bibliography of Canadian Numismatics". The February 1953 issue contains a marvelous paper by Sheldon Carroll, "A Short History of Canadian Numismatics". The October/November 1953 issue features Fred Bowman's important "Some Outstanding Catalogues of Canadian Coins". Also included is a 3 part series by E. Kann "The Story of Chinese Money". The November 1954 issue has 2 important articles "Mr. Gerald E. Hart and the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Montreal" and "Canadians Active in Building the A.N.A." The December 1954 issue features "The Copper Coins of the Bank of Montreal". February 1955 noted that the C.N.A. had just assigned membership number 852. Bound in at the back is the C.N.A. Bulletin Index.

Obviously, while the BULLETIN costs significantly less than the first six volumes of The Numismatist, the C.N.A. BULLETIN is quite similar in many ways: the debut of the journal of a major national numismatic organization, the limited membership in the early years, and the change of format after a few years. Remember, as the C.N.A. only had about 100 members at the start, the potential number of completely original sets of the C.N.A. BULLETIN is distinctly limited.

NOTE: Volume 2, Number 2 has the appearance of being a carbon copy, although it is on the regular mimeograph paper. Possibly it was just an inferior reproduction. While we believe each of these issues is original and is complete, it is possible (though we do not believe probable) that there may be a page or so missing.

12. Canadian Numismatic Association. THE C.N.A. JOURNAL. 11 bound volumes from 1960 through 1979. 8vo, later matching red cloth, gilt. Nearly Mint. (125.00)

The volumes present in these attractive, quality cloth bindings are 1960 and 1961, 1963 to 1966, and 1975 to 1979.

The CHARLTON Standard Guides to Canadian Numismatics.

This was the first standard guide issued for Canadian coins since before the war. Although 3 editions of Wayne Raymond's pamphlet on Canadian coins had been reprinted in 1937, 1947, and 1952, they were not as comprehensive as the Charlton guides. The first seven edition dated from 1952 to 1959 of the Charlton catalogues are genuinely scarce to rare. Each was issued in a different colored printed card cover. The line drawings of the tokens are quite useful especially both sides of 47 varieties of the "Bouquet Sous". These Canadian equivalents to the REDBOOK are only beginning to receive the corresponding attention from collectors.

13. Charlton, James E. 1952 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. 1952, 1st ed. 12mo, green CaC. 34 pages of which 3 are halftones and 12 are line drawn plates of tokens. Vals. Disbound. Each page has been inserted in a plastic bag and taped at the spine. A research copy. (20.00)
C-S 8522*. The first edition, when infrequently found tends to be heavily used. Very Scarce.

No Lot. Charlton, James E. 1953 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. 1953, 2nd ed. 12mo, yellow CaC. 34 pages of which 3 are halftones and 12 are line drawn plates of tokens. Vals.

C-S 8522*. Although no copy of the third edition is included here, we felt that for research purposes the pertinent information should be provided. Incidentally, we have found this to be by far the scarcest of the first seven editions.

14. Charlton, James E. 1955 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. 1955, 3rd ed. 12mo, light blue CaC. 36 pages of which 4 are halftones and 12 are line drawn plates of tokens. Vals. Fine. (30.00)

C-S 8522*. We have found this edition to be quite scarce in nice condition although it tends to be the most commonly found edition. Included is another defective copy of the same edition.

15. Charlton, James E. 1956 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. 1955, 4th ed. 12mo, gray CaC. 36 pages of which 4 are halftones and 12 are line drawn plates of tokens. Vals. There is some discoloration on the covers. Fine. (35.00)

C-S 8522*. Signed by Charlton. We have found this to be scarcer than the third edition.

16. Charlton, James E. 1957 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. 1956, 5th ed. 12mo, brown CaC. 36 pages of which 4 are halftones and 12 are line drawn plates of tokens. Vals. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (25.00)

C-S 8522*. This volume is extremely scarce in nice condition.

17. Charlton, James E. 1958 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN & NEWFOUNDLAND COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. 1957, 6th ed. 12mo, white CaC. 36 pages of which 4 are halftones and 12 are line drawn plates of tokens. Vals. The white covers are slightly otherwise better than Fine. (30.00)

C-S 8522*. This was the first edition to include Newfoundland. This edition may be next in scarcity to the second edition.

18. Charlton, James E. 1959 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN & NEWFOUNDLAND COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. (1958), 7th ed. 12mo, yellow glossy CaC. 40 pages of which 6 are halftones and 12 are line drawn plates of tokens. Vals. Fine or better. (15.00)

C-S 8522*. Signed by Charlton. Although this is also a scarce edition, relatively it is the most second common of the first seven editions. Following this edition, the Charlton catalogue began to be produced in the United States by Whitman in a light blue hardbound format.

19. All 7 previous lots of the James Charlton's 1959 CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN [& NEWFOUNDLAND] COINS, TOKENS & FRACTIONAL CURRENCY. (155.00)

The successful bid for this lot must exceed the total of the bids for all of the preceding six lots. This is an excellent opportunity to acquire a nearly complete set of the scarce first seven editions.

Beginning in 1959, Whitman publishing began producing the Charlton guide under the title STANDARD CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS TOKENS AND PAPER MONEY. These blue-gray cloth covered books were similar in size to the Yeoman BLUEBOOK. With Whitman's distribution, the books were much more widely available, especially in the United States. Whitman issued them for 11 years from the eighth through the eighteenth editions.

20. Charlton, J.E. STANDARD CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS TOKENS AND PAPER MONEY. 11 volumes from the 1960, 8th ed. through the 1970 18th ed. 126 pp. Ills. Vals. Generally VF. (75.00)

Each is autographed by Charlton. The 1967, 15th edition has a strip of cloth missing from the front cover. The covers for each may show some wear from shelf contact or may some bumped corners. The contents are each bright, clean, and nearly Mint.

Beginning with the 1971 19th edition, Charlton resumed Canadian publication of his standard guide as Charlton Publications from Port Carling Ontario and from the 1972 20th edition onward from Toronto. These octavo, card covered issues were substantially expanded to include many more illustrations, and a wider coverage of topics such as the token series and paper money.

21. Charlton, J.E. STANDARD CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS TOKENS & PAPER MONEY. 15 consecutive volumes from the 1971, 19th ed. to the Winter 1982, 33rd ed. Ranging from 128 to 273 pages. Ills. Vals. Generally Fine to VF. (100.00)

Several of the earlier volumes are autographed with the 1982 33rd edition inscribed from Charlton to Dr. Lutomski. Several of the pre-1976 issues are sought after for their expanded sections on tokens. Others are important for their lengthy sections on Canadian paper money. Finding this complete a run of Charlton guides is decidedly unusual.

22. All of the previous lots of Charlton's STANDARD CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN COINS TOKENS & PAPER MONEY from the 1952 1st edition to the Winter 1982, 33rd edition (missing only the 1953. 2nd ed.). 32 volumes. (330.00)

The successful bid for this lot must exceed the total of the bids for all of the preceding eight lots. It is quite a special occasion to be able to obtain a virtually complete run of Charlton sales.

23. Denison, Merrill. A HISTORY OF THE BANK OF MONTREAL. CANADA'S FIRST BANK. Volume I. 1966. 470 pp. 4to, green, white, and red cloth, gilt. With the original pictorial board slipcase. Monochrome and color illustrations, paintings, and maps. The slipcase is rubbed. The book is virtually Mint. (35.00)

This handsome, scholarly work was prepared for the 1967 sesqui-centennial of the bank. This volume covers the bank from its beginning through 1841. Excellent.

24. Charlton, J.E. CANADA AND NEWFOUNDLAND PAPER MONEY. (1955). 8vo, red CaC. 19 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)

This was Charlton's first work on paper money, which would not be included in the Standard Guide until the first Whitman edition in 1959. Scarce so choice. It is an early standard guide offering important text on "shinplasters" and various currency types.

25. Courteau, Eugene G. THE CANADIAN BOUQUET SOUS. 1908. 12mo, original cream printed paper covers. 24 pp. 4 pls. Rarity guide. Synoptical table. The covers are soiled and chipped. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (40.00)

A descriptive cataloguing of 73 types of Bouquet Sous. This scarce early Courteau work is eagerly sought.

26. Courteau, Eugene G. THE COPPER TOKENS OF MONTREAL / MONNAIES DE CUIVRE PAR LA BANQUE MONTREAL. 1919. 8vo, cloth and tan printed CaC. 25 pp. Ills. The covers are slightly worn and soiled. The contents are clean and Fine. (30.00)

The English and French text are juxtaposed on each page. In addition to historical text, a descriptive cataloguing is provided for Bouquet Sous, "Habitant" tokens, "Side-View" tokens and "Front-View" tokens. Important and quite scarce.

27. Courteau, Eugene G. THE ST. GEORGE COPPER TOKENS OF THE BANK OF UPPER CANADA. 1934. 8vo, cloth and card covers. 32 pp. Ill. A taped label removed from the front cover, resulting in a 2x1 inch area with surface paper missing. Fine. (25.00)

C-S 13774. A detailed, descriptive listing with rarity guide of 319 types. After the liquidation of the Bank of Upper Canada in 1867-8, "eleven tons of these coins were found in the bank's vaults".

28. Courteau, Eugene G. **THE WELLINGTON TOKENS RELATING TO CANADA**. 1915. 4to, original tan CaC. 10 pp. 4 pls. The oversized covers are slightly chipped at the overlap. The contents are cornered at the bottom outer edge. The contents are otherwise Fine. (75.00)

C-S 13772. 1 of 50 copies reprinted from the *AJN* (1914). vol. 48. Signed on the title page by Courteau. The monograph 47 describes types: 35 obverse and 35 reverse types are plated. Courteau was the most authoritative Canadian numismatic writer about tokens during the first third of this century. Rare.

29. **HEADS AND TALES**. A 60th Anniversary Souvenir of Minting in Canada. The Royal Canadian Mint Ottawa, Canada 1908-1968. 1968. 8vo, square white pictorial cloth. 14 pp. Ills. Fold-out chart of Canadian coins since 1908. Original pictorial card slipcase. VF. (20.00)

This profusely illustrated souvenir volume contains a pocket on the back cover for a 1968 Canadian mint set which always seems to have been removed. Scarce.

30. Hoch, A.C. (ed.) **CANADIAN TOKENS AND MEDALS**. An Anthology 1974. 8vo, yellow cloth, lettered in copper. 333 pp. Ills. VF or better. (25.00)

This anthology, volume four in the series *Gleanings from THE NUMISMATIST*, is a compilation of articles published therein from the early 20th century to the 1960s. The end of the volume consists of a 40 page Price Guide by R.C. Willey for Canadian coins and tokens.

31. Howard, C.S. **CANADIAN BANKS AND BANK-NOTES. A RECORD**. (1950). 8vo, BLUE cloth. 48 pp. 16 pls. VF. (20.00)

Reprinted from *The Canadian Banker*. An excellent history from 1759, profusely illustrated with currency. The important charts at the end list "all note issuing Canadian banks, chartered and private." The lists include names of each bank, the opening and closing dates of each, the head office. Also, "Banks Incorporated But Never in Operation", "Note-Issuing Banks Described as 'Spurious'". Important for legal tender and broken bank notes.

32. Leroux, Joseph. **THE CANADIAN COIN CABINET / MEDAILLER DU CANADA**. The 1964 Somer James, Canadian Numismatic Publishing Institute, reprint of the 1892 second edition. 8vo, maroon cloth, gilt. 592 pp. Ills. Nearly VF. (25.00)

This quality reprint also includes Leroux's 1892 supplement to the second edition: biographies of Leroux and Mc Lachlan; Courteau's 1908 *CANADIAN BOUQUET SOUS*; Courteau's 1910 *COINS AND TOKENS OF NOVA SCOTIA*; Wood's 1910 *THE CANADIAN BLACKSMITH COPPERS*; Mc Lachlan's 1916 *THE COPPER TOKENS OF UPPER CANADA*; and Courteau's 1915 *THE WELLINGTON TOKENS RELATING TO CANADA*. Copies of this important compendium are especially scarce in the United States.

33. McLachlan, Robert Wallace. **CANADIAN COMMUNION TOKENS**. A Catalogue of Metal Sacramental Tickets used in the Different Presbyterian Churches in Canada. 1891. 8vo. 64 pp. Both covers are detached. The first ten leaves are separated. Some pencil marks in the margin. A research copy. (40.00)

Ex-NASCA, 7/16-19/79, Lot 1369. Reprinted from the *Canadian Antiquarian*. The first 9 pages consist of narrative; the remainder is a cataloguing with annotations of 241 types. Rare.

34. McLachlan, Robert Wallace. **CANADIAN COMMUNION TOKENS**. A Catalogue of Metal Sacramental Tickets used in the Different Presbyterian Churches in Canada. Undated reprint of the 1891 original. 8vo, yellow printed CaC. 64 pp. Other than some modest soiling on the yellow covers, VF. (15.00)

Reprinted from the *Canadian Antiquarian*. The first 9 pages consist of narrative; the remainder catalogues, with annotations, 241 types.

35. McLachlan, R.W. **THE COPPER CURRENCY OF THE CANADIAN BANKS - 1837-1857**. 1903. From the *TRANSACTIONS OF THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF CANADA*. Second Series - 1903-1904. Volume IX, Section II. 8vo, tan paper covers. Pages 217-272 (complete). 4 halftone plates of tokens. The covers are chipped at the edges. The front cover is partially separated at the cloth tape. Cloth taped at the spine. Vertical bisecting fold. The contents are clean and Fine. (50.00)

A readable, well-documented scholarly narrative account, including a descriptive list of 35 types, all plated, and 56 documents relating to the copper coinage issued by the banks. Most important and quite scarce.

36. McLachlan, R.W. **THE COPPER TOKENS OF UPPER CANADA**. 1916. 4to, original tan CaC. 16 pp. 4 pls. The covers are chipped around the periphery, the back cover heavily so. The contents are clean and better than Fine. (75.00)

C-S 13783. 1 of 100 copies reprinted from the *AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NUMISMATICS*. This rare offprint includes excellent text, documentation, and thorough descriptions totalling 43 types issued between 1791 and 1841. A superior history.

37. McLellan, Geo. B. (Commissioner). **THE COUNTERFEIT DETECTOR**. Crime in Your Community. nd. (ca.1967). Apparently a second edition. 12mo, printed CaC. 18 pp. 2 plates, one an intaglio printing of vignettes in color and monochrome. VF. (20.00)

Ex-Katen 46, lot 625. This modest layman's guide to counterfeit paper money is most sought after for the intaglio printed plate of vignettes produced by the British American Bank Note Company and for the 2 x 2 inch "specimen of genuine planchette paper" (bank note paper). The rear cover is a detector template.

38. Raymond, Wayte. **THE COINS AND TOKENS OF CANADA**. 1937, 1947, 1952 (all three editions). 12mo, later maroon library cloth, gilt. The original covers for the first and third editions bound inside with extra blank leaves for bulk. 32, 32, 24 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers Fine. The contents Fine to VF. (20.00)

Subtitled "An illustrated list of all the types of Canadian Coins and tokens from 1670 to date, including the official mint statistics from 1858 to [1936, 1946, 1950]." Raymond's monographs were the best basic Canadian references for the period.

An Original Copy of Sandham's 1869 COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

39. Sandham, Alfred. COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS OF DOMINION OF CANADA. 1869. 12mo, green cloth. 72 pp. Ills. Apparently the original green cloth binding has been neatly and professionally rebound and repaired with a border of matching green cloth. Numerous neat pencilled annotations in the text. The contents while discolored are essentially Fine. (125.00)

C-S 8548. With the inkstamp inside of Douglas Robins. A note on the front free endpaper indicates that this was Professor Anton's copy. We assume that someone meant that this was Professor Anthon's copy. While we cannot guarantee this, the numerous annotations inside are indicative of a scholarly numismatist. Also, because of the grammatical corrections in pencil in addition to the revisions and corrections, one might also assume that the annotator was considering a revised edition.

Sandham was one of the earliest Canadian numismatists. After the sale of both the Rattray collection in 1866 and the Adelard Boucher collection in 1867, the Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal renewed its interest in completing the catalogue of "British North American Coins" which it had begun in 1863. The society put the project under the guidance of Joshua Bronsdon, one of the original society members and Sandham. After Bronsdon resigned, Sandham completed the project alone. This is considered to be the first significant work published in Canada about Canadian numismatics.

A photocopied article inserted in this book, SANDHAM'S 1896 (sic) CATALOGUE by Michael Curry (the original source of which is unknown) contains the contents of a typed letter by Sandham inserted in a copy of this work in the Ottawa Public Library. Some of the information is of particular note:

Of this work there were 300 copies printed but only 250 were bound. It was anything but a financial success. While it was offered at the absurdly low price of 75 cts. only about 100 copies were disposed of by sale. The remaining copies were given away....

The medals pp 51-66 (excepting 55 to 59) were also prepared from my pen drawings. They are of interest from the fact that they are among the first if not the first blocks prepared by what is now known as photo-engraving, which appeared in a printed book. They were popularly known as Leggotypes after Mr. W.A. Leggo the inventor of the process...

This classic work describes 215 coins and tokens and 42 medals. It also includes a two page appended history of the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Montreal. Incidentally, the Remy Bourne Library of Canadian Numismatic Literature which we sold in our sixth mail bid sale July 31, 1989 did not have an original copy of this rare work.

40. Sandham, Alfred. COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS OF DOMINION OF CANADA. 1962 Canadian Numismatic Publishing Institute reprint of the 1869 original. 12mo, pebbled tan card covers. 72 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

C-S 8548. Michael Curry's article which was quoted in the previous lot indicated that the reprint was becoming hard to get.

41. Taylor H.C. and Somer James. A GUIDE BOOK OF CANADIAN COINS, CURRENCY & TOKENS. 15 volumes comprising the first 11 years complete, including 4 revised editions for: 1958-1970. 12mo, glossy CaC. Generally Fine & better. (100.00)

During the period when the Charlton series was published by Whitman in the U.S during the '60s, these Canadian "Redbooks" were the standard guide in Canada, being much more comprehensive than the Whitman "Charltons". These are of special value for the extensively illustrated coverage given the token series; for example, the important, especially durable third edition, spiral bound with wire, devotes over 100 pages to the series, and as such remains actively sought. Generally, the only apparent wear is that traditionally found on the glossy covers.

The contents include "Second Revised Printings" of the 1961 3rd ed.; 1962, 4th ed.; 1963 5th ed.; and both varieties of the 1967 9th ed. - the 116 page spiral bound edition and the 310 page Remick & James BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COINS 1798-1967, with entire contents of the spiral bound edition bound contained inside.

Beginning with the 1963 fifth edition, British coins from 1800 onward are included in the contents. This comprehensive a run of this sought after series is quite rarely offered.

42. Wood, Howland. THE CANADIAN BLACKSMITH COPPERS. 1910. Reprinted from THE NUMISMATIST, April 1910. 15 pp. 3 line drawn plates. 8vo, original GRAY card covers. The covers are soiled and chipped at the edges. The contents are Fine. (50.00)

C-S 13809. "[Offprint] Edition limited to 100 copies". Identification of 46 types including classic text information and provenances. Also includes printed letter from McLachlan (THE NUMISMATIST, June 1910), clarifying who originated the name Blacksmith tokens, "My article [1886] inspired the idea, Mr. John Dow gave it currency and Mr. Lyman Low printed it [1894]." This is one of the earliest, if not in fact the earliest, offprints from THE NUMISMATIST. Rare.

CANADIAN AUCTION CATALOGUES

43. 1959 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Regina, Sask. September 2-4, 1959. 8vo, orange CaC. 42 pp. 1605 lots. 2 pls. But for a small price label on the front cover, and some slight cover soiling, VF. (20.00)

The C.N.A. sales catalogues from 1954 to 1969 are especially elusive, much moreso than A.N.A. sales. This sale featured Canadian decimal coinage and paper money.

44. 7th Annual Convention 1960 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Sherbrooke, Quebec. August 18-20, 1960. 8vo, blue CaC. 39 pp. 1602 lots. 3 pls. VF. (20.00)

This sale featured rare Breton tokens and Canadian paper money

45. 1961 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Hamilton, Ont. August 31-September 2, 1961. 8vo, tan CaC. 69 pp. 2713 lots. 3 pls. The corners are bent, otherwise VF. (15.00)

A comprehensive offering of Canadian coins, paper money, and tokens.

46. 11th Annual Convention. 1964 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Halifax. August 27-29, 1964. 8vo, red CaC. 53 pp. 1834 lots. 5 pls. VF. (15.00)

Featuring rare Canadian currency, good decimal coinage, 2 Indian Chief medals, and some proof and pattern coinage including an 1858 4 piece pattern proof set.

47. 12th Annual Convention. 1965 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Toronto. August 12-14, 1965. 8vo, white glossy CaC. 89 pp. 2748 lots. 8 pls. But for the outer corners of the catalogue being bent, VF. (12.00)

Features a photo of the Chateau de Ramezay on the back cover. Also, numerous important tokens, a "holey dollar", important currency, impressive proof patterns, and a choice unc 1921 half dollar. A superior sale.

48. 13th Annual Convention. 1966 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Winnipeg. August 25-27, 1966. 8vo, white CaC. 57 pp. 1632 lots. Prl. 4 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (12.00)

Features an unc 1921 5 cent, good proof patterns, one lot of 175 communion tokens, 6 Indian Chief medals, good tokens, a VG 1921 half dollar, and excellent currency.

49. 14th Annual Convention. 1967 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Ottawa. August 31-September 2, 1967. 8vo, CaC. 67 pp. 2200 lots. 1 pl. VF. (10.00)

AU 1921 half dollar, small size Indian Chief medal, rare patterns, and good tokens and currency.

50. 16th Annual Convention. 1969 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION CONVENTION SALE. (James Charlton). Toronto. August 28-30, 1969. 8vo, CaC. 80 pp. 1805 lots. 4 pls. Nearly VF. (10.00)

Good tokens, strong in Bouquet Sous; 9 proof small cents from 1922 to 1931; consignment of 130 attributed Breton tokens from a "Noted Canadian Numismatist"; excellent currency. This lot also contains the 1973 C.N.A. sale

The Personalized Library Edition of the MC KAY-CLEMENTS Sale

51. Rose, Frank. Public Auction Sale of the Renowned Collection of MR. JOHN L. MC KAY-CLEMENTS. May 13-16, 1976. 12mo, original russet cloth, gilt. 110 pp. 2550 lots. PRL Bound inside. 36 pls. Other than the slightest evidence of dampness at the very bottom margin of 5 interior leaves, VF. (50.00)

THE PERSONALIZED LIBRARY EDITION, Number 52 of 125 bound, signed by Frank Rose. Dr. Lutomski's name in gilt on the front cover. The highlight of this extraordinary sale was the offering of the 1911 Canada pattern silver dollar. Four pages of text about this historic coin are included. "John's goal of collecting every token listed by Breton and every coin listed by Yeoman's Modern World Coins, has practically been realized." Also 670 lots of attributed Breton tokens with significant rarities: Gloriam Regni issues, Bridge tokens, Repentigny tokens, the British Columbia \$10.00 and \$20.00 patterns. 400 important lots of Canadian currency. Copies of this historic sale in the deluxe format rarely appear in the marketplace.

The Personalized Library Edition of the GAVER Collection Sale

52. Rose, Frank. The Mammoth [KENNETH M.] GAVER (Collector's Research) Numismatic Collection. November 1-6, 1977 & April 27-30, 1978. 12mo, green cloth, gilt. The original black card covers tipped in. Np & 88 pp. 4390 & 4619 lots. PRL for Part bound in; PRL for Part II tipped in. 23 & 12 pls. But for the top corners of the cloth binding being bumped, VF. (50.00)

THE PERSONALIZED LIBRARY EDITION. Dr. Lutomski's name in gilt on the front cover. The two sales were conducted in association with Torex '77 and Torex '88. It is estimated that fewer than 100 copies were bound in this format. That both PRLs are present is important as the individual PRLs are quite scarce.

Of importance as these two sales contained the Kenneth Gaver Numismatic Library, in addition to important Canadian coinage. "Very Few devoted numismatists have ever attempted to collect books as did the late K. Gaver of Collector's Research The Dr. K.M. Gaver Library offered in this sale is one of the most extensive ever made available to collectors in this country." The library offering totalled 400+ lots.

53. Sotheby & Co. (Canada) Ltd. Coins and Medals from the Collection of Canadiana Formed by the Late ROBERT W. REFORD, of Montreal. October 30, 1968. 8vo, pictorial and printed CaC. 21 pp. 140 lots. List of Prices Realized and Buyers. 8 fine pls. The glossy covers show the slightest wear. A small bit of cornering at the top of the backstrip from mailbox stuffing. The contents are clean and better than VF. (25.00)

"The official silver coins of Canada are well represented, and the series of tokens includes most varieties list by Breton. However, the strength of the collection lies in the Commemorative medals, War medals, and certainly the most extensive series of Indian Chief medals ever to appear on the market." This extremely scarce catalogue is particularly in demand with the list of prices and names.

54. Sotheby & Co. (Canada) Ltd. The Collection of Canadian Coins, Tokens, and Medals formed by RICHARD WELLINGTON WILLIAMS, the Property of MISS E. WILLIAMS of Trois Rivieres, Quebec. April 23, 1969. 8vo, pictorial and printed CaC. 43 pp. 195 lots. Ills. The covers have been folded near the backstrip. Otherwise the contents are clean and VF. (25.00)

C-S 8581. "The regal coins of Canada include a number of pieces in mint state ... as well as a 1908 proof sovereign. The token coinage is especially well represented.... The final section includes a Hudson's Bay Company Indian medal and a Military General Service medal awarded to an Indian Chief." Scarce.

55. Sotheby & Co. (Canada) Ltd. Canadian Coins, Tokens, and Banknotes; Commemorative, War and Indian Peace Medals and Indian Trade Silver. [A Selection from The Collection of Tokens and Banknotes formed by RICHARD WELLINGTON WILLIAMS of Three Rivers, Quebec]. May 26, 1970. 8vo, pictorial and printed CaC. 30 pp. 252 lots. List of Prices Realized and Buyers. 10 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (25.00)

UNITED STATES NUMISMATIC LITERATURE

56. Adams, Edgar and William H. Woodin. UNITED STATES PATTERN, TRIAL, AND EXPERIMENTAL PIECES. Being a List of Pattern, Trial and Experimental Pieces which Have Been Issued by the United States Mint from 1792 up to the Present Time. American Numismatic Society. American Numismatic Series, No. 1. 1913. 8vo, original blue cloth, gilt. 196 pp. Ills. The covers are rubbed and stained. The contents are clean and better than Fine. (75.00)

C-S 12440. Only 300 copies of the original edition were printed. The original edition is quite scarce. As the first major American work dealing with patterns it is always in demand.

57. Adams, Edgar and William H. Woodin. UNITED STATES PATTERN, TRIAL, AND EXPERIMENTAL PIECES. Being a List of Pattern, Trial and Experimental Pieces which Have Been Issued by the United States Mint from 1792 up to the Present Time. American Numismatic Society. American Numismatic Series, No. 1. 1959 Jim Kelly (World Numismatiques) reprint of the 1940 reprint of the 1913 original. 8vo, original blue cloth, gilt. 196 pp. Ills. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12440. This was released at the same time as the first Judd pattern book.

58. Affleck, Charles J. THE OBSOLETE PAPER MONEY OF VIRGINIA. Volumes I and II. 1968 - 1969. 4to, red cloth, gilt. 237; 265 pp. Ills, some in color. VF. (100.00)

C-S 13434. These two volumes were each issued in limited numbers, with Volume I being especially scarce. Volume I details "Virginia Treasury Notes, County, City, and Town Emissions, and Private and Business Scrip." Volume II details obsolete bank notes. These two impressive volumes have long been most eagerly pursued by currency collectors, and may be the most sought after volumes in the entire series produced by the SPMC.

59. (Anton, Jr., William T. and Morey Perlmutter). THE ALBERT A. GRINNELL COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES PAPER MONEY ... Originally Catalogued by Barney Bluestone, Syracuse, NY.. 1971 reprint of the seven Bluestone sales held between November 25, 1944 and November 30, 1946. Thick 8vo, green cloth. 651 pp. Prls. VF or better. (50.00)

C-S 13539. Number 487 of 1000 numbered copies. Subtitled, "A Complete Reprint in One Volume of the Seven Sales which Comprised the Most Complete Collection of United States Paper Money ever Assembled by Any Individual". This series remains the premier sale of U.S. paper money yet held. Even individual copies of original sales are rarely offered. As such even this quality reprint has become scarce. Because of the inferior job Mehl did in cataloguing the 1943 Grinnell sale, Grinnell took the rest of his collection to Bluestone who in 7 sales created a classic series of reference catalogues.

60. Attinelli, Emmanuel Joseph. A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AUCTION CATALOGUES 1828-1875. 1976 Quarterman reprint of the 1876 original Numisgraphics. 8vo, cloth. 123 pp. 27 page rarity and valuation guide by John Adams. VF. (20.00)

Invaluable information about nineteenth century American numismatics, numismatic literature, and numismatists. Attinelli also included, with extensive annotations, numismatic books, guides, catalogues, and price lists from 1787. A core resource for the bibliophile.

61. Beistle, M.L. A REGISTER OF HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES AND SUB-VARIETIES. 1929. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 261 pp. Frontis. 7 pls. But for slight rub at the corners and extremities, Fine. (35.00)

C-S 12243. Ex-Kolbe III, lot 486. Subtitled, "being a description of each die variety used in the coinage of United States half dollars as far as the issues are known covering the United States Mint at Philadelphia, and branches at New Orleans, San Francisco, Carson City, and Denver." This bridge between Haseltine and Overton includes all half dollar types through 1928 including commems.

62. Beistle, M.L. A REGISTER OF HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES AND SUB-VARIETIES. 1964 Bebee's reprint of the 1929 original. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 261 pp. Frontis. 7 pls. VF to nearly Mint. (20.00)

C-S 12243. A quality reprint of the original without any additions or corrections.

63. Bolender, M.H. THE UNITED STATES EARLY SILVER DOLLARS FROM 1794 TO 1803. 1969, 2nd revised edition of the 1950 original. 4to, blue cloth, gilt. 71 pp. 1971 valuation sheet. 9 halftone pls. VF. (25.00)

C-S 12246. This is still the standard reference for the bust dollar series.

64. Bowers, Q. David. ADVENTURES IN RARE COINS. 1979. 4to, pictorial boards. 305 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (15.00)

A QDB award winner covering the "history, art, romance, and investment aspect of coins". A most readable reference with excellent material and supporting illustrations. For those of you who have this gathering dust on your shelf, take it down and read it. This really is marvelous.

65. Bowers, Q. David. THE HISTORY OF UNITED STATES COINAGE AS ILLUSTRATED BY THE GARRETT COLLECTION. 1979, third printing. 4to, black cloth. 572 pp. Many color and b&w plates. Near Mint. (30.00)

Our choice as the best survey of American numismatics: 19th and 20th century numismatic history, early American coinage, history of the mint, private and territorial gold. Too often books like this are taken for granted and not really read. Despite all the trendy, transitory nonsense of precision grading, we really are living in the Golden Age of numismatic research. Giants like Bowers, Breen, Julian, and Taxay, among others, are generating a true legacy of readable scholarship.

66. Bowers, Q. David and James F. Ruddy. THE EMPIRE GUIDE TO UNITED STATES HALF CENTS 1793-1857. New revised complete descriptive guide to die varieties. 1962, 1st edition. 12mo, gold textured CaC. 47 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. Nearly VF. (20.00)

C-S 12250. Although listed as a "Deluxe Edition", no other formats were issued. "The following listing of half cent die varieties represents all of the pieces known to us at this time". This was the first significant work on half cents to have been issued since Gilbert's 1916 standard reference.

67. Bowers, Q. David and James F. Ruddy. THE EMPIRE GUIDE TO UNITED STATES HALF CENTS 1793-1857. New revised complete descriptive guide to die varieties. Undated Ray Wasosky reprint of the 1962, 1st edition. 12mo, Tan CaC. 47 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12250. Aside from the difference in the covers from the 1962 original, the two editions are virtually identical.

68. Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, Inc. RARE COIN REVIEW. Volume III, Issue No. 10. March-April 1971. 4to, self-covered. 52 pp. Ills. VF. (25.00)

This is the first RARE COIN REVIEW (RCR) to carry the Bowers and Ruddy name. As such it is in special demand for those who wish to assemble a complete set of B & R RCRs. The highlights include an important offering of attributed Vermont colonials, many good half cents and large cents.

69. Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, Inc. RARE COIN REVIEW. No. 12. September-October 1971. 4to, self-covered. 64 pp. Ills. VF to nearly Mint. (25.00)

This first substantial offering of the Connecticut coppers which became a major part of the Bowers and Ruddy RCRs for several issues was introduced here by an informative two page article. Also offered were impressive colonials and copper coinage, excellent early halves and patterns. "As we go to press we have twenty one various 1793 cents in stock".

70. Breen, Walter. "A COINER'S CAVIAR". Walter Breen's Encyclopedia of United States and Colonial Proof Coins 1722-1977. 1977. 4to, brown cloth, gilt. 324 pp. Ills. VF or better. (80.00)

The standard reference for the subject. Despite the recent release of a new softbound edition which contains modest additional material, this edition remains in strong demand for its hardbound format.

71. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira. SELECT NUMISMATIC BIBLIOGRAPHY. 1965, 1st ed. 8vo, dark green cloth. 406 pp. 4962 listings. VF. (15.00)

Still the "de-facto" collectors' bibliography as the second edition costs well over \$80.00. Indispensable for anyone with even a peripheral interest in numismatics or numismatic literature.

72. Clapp, George (Hubbard) and Howard R. Newcomb. THE UNITED STATES CENTS OF THE YEARS 1795, 1796, 1797, AND 1800. 1947. 4to, original blue and black cloth. 74 pp. 4 fine photographic plates. VF. (175.00)

C-S 12274. Issued prior to the release of Sheldon's 1949 EARLY AMERICAN CENTS, this was the last volume written finally completing the series of standard references on early date large cents combined with the earlier works of Clapp, Newcomb, Sheldon, Crosby, and Chapman. Always in major demand.

73. Cohen, Jr., Roger S. AMERICAN HALF CENTS. THE "LITTLE HALF SISTERS". A Reference Book on the United States Half Cent Coined from 1793 to 1857. 1971, 1st ed., 1st printing. 105 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (30.00)

C-S 12278. The first edition of a standard reference, each date and variety is illustrated and thoroughly described including useful historical text and rarity information.

THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER or "Graysheet" has been the WALL STREET JOURNAL of the coin market virtually from its beginning. Despite the practical limitations of the sheet, it has served to provide guidance and a degree of order to the numismatic marketplace. The weekly sheet and the MONTHLY SUMMARY also offer analyses of the market with the MONTHLY SUMMARY featuring in each issue a two page discussion of one numismatic subject which may be about a coin series, an interview, or a "guest" column. Despite its vast subscribership, they tend to be disposed of quite quickly; thus, complete annual sets tend to be elusive, if not in fact, rare.

Offered below are complete annual sets which consist of either 51 or 52 weekly issues - most years there is a one week period at the end of the year for which no issue is produced. Although we cannot guarantee that somewhere an issue may be missing, we believe that each of the volumes are complete, unless otherwise noted. After listing them individually, we will offer the opportunity obtain all of them in one bid.

74. THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1974. Volume XII. 4to, later blue cloth, gilt. VF. (20.00)

This and the next three volumes were privately and attractively bound in library cloth and have Dr. Lutomski's name on the cover in gilt. Missing the first four issues. The weekly issues through number 9 have Volume XI listed.

75. THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1975. Volume XIII, complete in 51 issues. 4to, later blue cloth, gilt. VF. (20.00)

76. THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1976. Volume XIV, complete in 52 issues. 4to, later blue cloth, gilt. VF. (20.00)

The MONTHLY SUMMARY debuted in August 1976 followed by 4 other monthly issues.

77. THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1977. Volume XV, complete in 51 issues. 4to, later blue cloth, gilt. Volume. VF. (20.00)

The MONTHLY SUMMARY discusses Seated Liberty half dimes, Standing Liberty quarters, Liberty Seated quarters by Ahwash, Walking Liberty halves, Barber quarters. Incidentally numbering system for the weekly issues is fouled up in the middle issues.

78. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1978. Volume XVI. VF. (20.00)**
Included are all 12 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** featuring discussions of \$5.00s, commems, and prooflike Morgans. Incidentally, the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** began in 1976.
79. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1979. Volume XVII. VF. (20.00)**
Included are 11 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** missing May 1979. The **MONTHLY SUMMARY** features discussions of condition rarities for Morgan dollars, date-by-date analysis of Peace dollars, also discussion of half cents, and the first part of a discussion of \$20.00s.
80. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1980. Volume XVIII. VF. (15.00)**
Obviously an historically important year for the coin market. Missing are weekly issues number 5 through 9, and the second issue of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY**. Issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** discuss Mercury dimes, full-step nickels, and cents from flying eagle through Lincolns.
81. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1981. Volume XIX. VF. (20.00)**
Obviously another historically important year for the coin market. Included are 12 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** dealing with an overview of the 1980 market, Franklin halves, and featuring half cent and large cent discussions by Jack Beymer. 52 weekly issues in this volume.
82. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1982. Volume XX. VF. (20.00)**
Missing is issue number three of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** and weekly numbers 9-11. **MONTHLY SUMMARY** article include "Mint State 20th century Liberty Gold Coinage", Liberty Seated dollars, and the Eliasberg gold sale.
83. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1983. Volume XXI. VF. (20.00)**
The first issue of the weekly series is missing. Included are 12 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** covering Walking Liberty halves, Commems, and Private gold.
84. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1984. Volume XXII, Complete in 51 issues. VF. (20.00)**
Included are 12 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** discussing proof gold, Indian \$2.50s and \$5.00s, and "Banking and Numismatics".
85. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1985. Volume XXIII, complete in 51 issues. VF. (20.00)**
Included are 12 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** discussing mostly the numismatic marketplace and coin investment.
86. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1986. Volume XXIV, complete in 51 issues. VF. (20.00)**
Included are 12 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** discussing full head Standing Liberty quarters and 19th century nickel coinage.
87. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. 1987. Volume XXV. VF. (20.00)**
Included are 11 issues of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** featuring a 3 part series by Bowers on collecting gold coins. Missing are the second issue of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY** and the 7th weekly issue, February 13.
88. **THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER. Each of the preceding 14 lots. (280.00)**
The successful bid for this lot must exceed the total of the bids for each of the preceding 14 lots. This presents an excellent opportunity to acquire 14 nearly complete years of the CDN and 12 nearly complete years of the **MONTHLY SUMMARY**
89. **Coin World. THE COIN WORLD ALMANAC. 3 Copies comprising the first three editions. 1976-1978. Thick 12mo, pictorial CaC. Averaging 1000 pages per book. Generally VF. (20.00)**
The best compendium of information of numismatic resource material. The contents include addresses of world mints, world numismatic organizations, publications, U.S. mint history, legislation, biographies, and a most useful (underappreciated) 70-85 page "Book Edition" bibliography prepared by Frank Katzen. Important.
90. (Comparette, Thomas Louis). **CATALOGUE OF COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS IN THE NUMISMATIC COLLECTION OF THE MINT OF THE UNITED STATES AT PHILADELPHIA, PA. 1912, 1st edition. 8vo, blue cloth. 634 pp. Frontis piece plate, 15 plates with descriptive tissue guards. Covers rubbed at extremities, VG. (40.00)**
Two other editions were produced in 1913 and 1914. Always in demand.
91. **Doering, David. CALIFORNIA FRACTIONAL GOLD. 1982, 2nd edition. 4to, white pictorial cloth. 196 pp. Frontis. Ills. Vals. (60.00)**
C-S 12470. The most recent reference work on the topic illustrates all the known types, describes them fully, prices them in several grades, establishes a rarity guide, and includes good background text. Quite scarce.
92. **Durst, Sanford J. COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE TO AMERICAN COLONIAL COINAGE. Its Origins, History, and Value. 1976. 8vo, blue pebbled cloth. 154 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (20.00)**
Copy 2416 of 10,000.
93. **Elder, Thomas L. THE ELDER RARE COIN BOOK. A Comprehensive Work on Numismatics, Coin Premiums, Numismatists, Coin Collecting 1913. 8vo, brown CaC, gilt. 163 pages of which 28 are plates. Chipped at the backstrip. The contents are clean and better than Fine. (15.00)**
Includes various articles about coin collecting, charts of premiums for U.S and foreign coins, and information about ancient and foreign coins. This copy looks nicer than it sounds.

94. Elder, Thomas L. **NEW PREMIUM COIN BOOK. A Comprehensive Work on Numismatics, Coin Premiums, Numismatists, Coin Collecting.** 1934. 8vo, tan CaC, gilt. 97 pages of which 28 are woodcut plates. Slightly chipped at the backstrip. The covers are nearly disbound from coming unglued. The contents are clean and better than Fine. (15.00)

While this later edition contains various articles about coin collecting, charts of premiums for U.S and foreign coins, and information about ancient and foreign coins, it is not as elaborate as the original edition. However, Elder's zeal for numismatics is witnessed by his producing this work during the Depression.

95. Evans, George. **ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES MINT WITH A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF AMERICAN COINAGE.** 1892. 8vo, later brown cloth. 154 pp. Frontis. 26 pls. Ills. the second signature disbound. Slightest foxing. The covers are Fine. The interior paper contents are discolored from age, but still are Fine. (25.00)

Ex-Katen 44, lot 1067. Pencilled inside, "Gift from Col. E.H. Green, Est. 5/22/47". The 1892 edition of Evans, normally referred to as the Mint Centennial edition, is one of the key issues in the series. The cloth covered binding is not recent.

96. Fox, Les and Sue. **SILVER DOLLAR FORTUNE TELLING. Part 2: 1978 Edition. "How to Invest in Silver Dollars".** 1978. 8vo, white pictorial cloth. 190 pp. Ills. Vals. The cover is slightly faded and soiled. The contents are nearly Mint. (20.00)

The Scarce Hardbound Edition. In addition to the Fox 1988 price "projections", this also contains background information about silver dollars and the collecting thereof.

97. Freiberg, Ralph (Chairman). **ATWOOD'S CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES AND CANADIAN TRANSPORTATION TOKENS.** 1965, 2nd ed. 8vo, dark blue cloth, gilt. 432 pp. 27 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF or better. (20.00)

C-S 13981". Produced by the Catalogue Committee of the American Numismatic Association. Organized alphabetically by state, this includes extensive text material in addition to describing every known token. Clean copies are quite scarce as these were generally well-used and marked up by collectors.

98. Friedberg, Robert. **PAPER MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES. A Complete Illustrated Guide with Valuations.** 1955, 2nd ed. 4to, red cloth covers. 151 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (25.00)

C-S 13480" (for the 5th edition onward). This corresponds to the REDBOOK for currency collectors. We are beginning to see currency collectors trying to assemble complete sets of the "Friedberg". This is much nicer than the usual second edition which turns up.

99. Green, C.E. **MINT RECORD AND TYPE-TABLE. UNITED STATES COINS.** 1936. 12mo, blue cloth, gilt. 252 pp. Ills. Fine. (20.00)

Signed and dated by Green on the front free-endpaper, 9-7-1938. This listing of mintages for U.S. coins was one of the forerunners of the REDBOOK. Subtitled "Listing the major varieties of all regular issues of United States Coins as well as Private Gold, Encased Postage, and Fractional Currency. With illustrations of most types of each series except the latter." This is a nice copy for a work that normally turns up heavily used replete with checkmarks and annotations.

100. Hancock, Virgil and Larry Spanbauer. **STANDARD CATALOGUE OF COUNTERFEIT AND ALTERED UNITED STATES COINS.** 1979. 221 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

The work is divided into sections discussing counterfeits of individual issues (half cents, large cents, colonials, silver and gold issues) and includes much important background and technical material. Quite useful.

101. Heath, Laban. **HEATH'S INFALLIBLE COUNTERFEIT DETECTOR AT SIGHT By Authority from the United States Treasury Department, Revised, Pocket Edition.** 1870, 10th edition. 40 pp. Only plate 6 is present. A research copy. (25.00)

Heavily worn and nearly disbound. The other plates have been removed. The text is complete and VG.

102. Heath, Laban. **HEATH'S INFALLIBLE COUNTERFEIT DETECTOR AT SIGHT By Authority from the United States Treasury Department, Revised, Pocket Edition.** 1878, 12th edition. 48, (14) pp. All the plates have been removed. Research copy. (20.00)

Heavily worn and nearly disbound. The text is complete and VG.

103. Hibler, Harold E. and Charles V. Kappen. **So-CALLED DOLLARS.** 1963. 4to, yellow cloth. 156 pp. Ills. and Vals. VF. (20.00)

The standard reference illustrates virtually all of the 1033 items beginning with the Erie Canal medal of 1826 - thorough descriptions and explanations. While the valuations are shall we say optimistic, their relative values are of use. Copies of this are in constant demand.

104. Houghtaling, C.E. (Albany, NY.) **HOUGHTALING'S PREMIUM COIN CATALOGUE Giving the Value of all Rare American Gold, Silver, and Copper Coins.** 1890. 24mo, paper covers. 32 pp. Vals. Good to VG. (15.00)

Not in Bourne. "You can make money easily by examining all coins that pass through your hands." This cute little guide lists premiums for most series of coinage including complete date-by-date premiums for large cents except for rarities (1827 quarters, 1796 half cents, some gold) although he does list an \$800 buying price for an 1804 dollar. Also included are premiums for private and territorial gold. Rare.

105. Iacovo, James S. **A COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE TO UNITED STATES COMMEMORATIVE COINS.** 1979. 8vo, brown cloth, gilt. 130 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (15.00)

This includes an issue by issue analysis by type, including narrative about each type and "buying tips". This has become rather scarce.

106. Judd, J. Hewitt with the Collaboration of Walter H. Breen and Abe Kosoff. UNITED STATES PATTERN, EXPERIMENTAL, AND TRIAL PIECES. 1962, 2nd ed. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 260 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)
C-S 12443".
107. Judd, J. Hewitt with the Collaboration of Walter H. Breen and Abe Kosoff. UNITED STATES PATTERN, EXPERIMENTAL, AND TRIAL PIECES. 1965, 3rd ed. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 260 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)
C-S 12443".
108. Judd, J. Hewitt with the Collaboration of Walter H. Breen and Abe Kosoff. UNITED STATES PATTERN, EXPERIMENTAL, AND TRIAL PIECES. 1970, 5th ed. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 260 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)
C-S 12443".
109. Kosoff, Abe. UNITED STATES DIMES. 1964. 8vo, blue CaC. 25 pp. 410 lots. 4 pls. VF. (15.00)
Essentially this is a reprint of the dime section of the 1946 Numismatic Gallery sale of the World's Greatest Collection of Silver Coins covering lots 417 to 826. Printed next to each lot is the presale estimate, the price realized in the sale, and the price trends for as of 1964.
110. Lee, Kenneth W. CALIFORNIA GOLD DOLLARS, HALF DOLLARS, QUARTER DOLLARS. 1970. 12mo, blue cloth, gilt. 138 pp. Valuation sheets. Nearly Mint. (20.00)
C-S 12474. Subtitled: A descriptive listing of the varieties of fractional issues in the personal collection of the author, plus a few additions noted and examined by the author.
111. Mehl, B. Max. The Celebrated Collection of Large United States Cents Formed by DR. GEO P. FRENCH, Rochester, New York. More than Eight Hundred All Different Specimens with Many Unique Varieties not Known in any other Collections. 1929. 4to, tan CaC. 139 pp. 839 listings. Ills. The covers have come unglued from the covers which are chipped the ends of the backstrip. The covers and contents are otherwise Fine. (50.00)
Quoting from the seventh George Kolbe and Spink sale, December 10-11, 1988. (lot 54), "With this well-produced work Mehl raised the importance of the fixed price list to a new level and established a tradition continued by Abe Kosoff with the Pearl catalogue and, more recently, by Dave Bowers with the John Adams catalogue."
112. Mehl, B. Max. 8 Different Copies of THE STAR RARE COIN ENCYCLOPEDIA. 16mo, CaC. Averaging 200 pp. Ills. (25.00)
The ubiquitous "volks-numismatic" reference. Before World War II, it seemed that every home library consisted of a Bible, a Sears catalogue, and Mehl's STAR RARE COIN ENCYCLOPEDIA. These copies are in "average" circulated condition - what one typically sees. This may have been the most effective numismatic publication of any kind in American history as this reference was really used.
Copies include the 1926, 29th ed; 1927th, 30th ed; 1930, 34th ed; 1931, 35th ed.; 1933, 38th ed.; 1935, 42nd ed.; 1936, 43rd ed; 1940, 48th ed.
113. Mercer, R.W. MERCER'S COIN BOOK CONTAINING FAC SIMILES OF GOLD AND SILVER COINS IN CIRCULATION THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. 1882. 4to, tan paper covers. 40 pages of which 38 are woodcut illustrations of U.S. and foreign silver and gold coinage in metallic tints on black paper. Good. (25.00)
The introductory pages contain much fascinating information about U.S. and foreign coins including an anecdote involving the Pine Tree Shilling and Charles II of England. The plates are clean and Fine; however, the covers are heavily worn and chipped. Fascinating.
114. Newman, Eric P. and Kenneth R. Bressett. THE FANTASTIC 1804 DOLLAR. 1962. 8vo, tan cloth. 144 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)
With the recent publicity generated by the sale of the Dexter 1804 dollar, bringing \$990,000 at Auction '89, this work has again become quite popular.
115. Newman, Eric. COINAGE FOR COLONIAL VIRGINIA. 1956. NNM-135. 8vo, CaC. 57 pp. 6 fine pls. Some cover soiling, The backstrip is coming unglued. Fine. (20.00)
C-S 12235". Signed, "Given to A.C. Werner by A.N.A. Librarian John Gabarron". Also neatly attached is the A.N.A. library label. "Virginia halfpence have the unique distinction of being the only fully authorized coins with legal tender status specifically minted ... for any part of the English colonies which became the [U. S. A.]" (p. 1). The standard reference.
116. Noe, Sydney P. THE NEW ENGLAND AND WILLOW TREE COINAGES OF MASSACHUSETTS. 1943. NNM-102. 12mo, CaC. 55 pp. 16 fine pls. A heavy waterstain on the front cover with the adjacent half adhering to it. Otherwise, no other defects are present. Overall Fine. (30.00)
C-S 12213". This was inspired by a 1942 exhibit at the museum of the ANS which included 500 specimens of Massachusetts coinage. A superb reference with important historical and numismatic text. The scarcest of the monographs on colonial coinage. In great demand.
117. Noe, Sydney P. THE OAK TREE COINAGE OF MASSACHUSETTS. 1947. NNM-110. 23 pp. 10 fine pls. Some spotting on the fore edge. Fine. (20.00)
C-S 12214". The standard reference gives historical information, fully cataloguing with plates 34 coins from the T. J. Clarke collection on loan to the ANS.

118. Noe, Sydney P. **THE PINE TREE COINAGE OF MASSACHUSETTS**. 1952. NNM-125. 48 pp. 11 fine pls. Nearly VF. (20.00)
C-S 12216*. In addition to the important text, 36 coins and 26 fabrications are catalogued and plated. Always sought after.
119. Numismatic Gallery (Kosoff and Kreisberg). **The Outstanding Collection of United States Large Cents formed by MR. OSCAR PEARL, New York City, for Sale at Fixed Prices**. 1944. 4to, later red cloth. 24, xl pages. 23 pls. VF. (25.00)
C-S 12415. This important large cent reference is also noteworthy as it contains complete reprints with plates of Crosby's 1897 AJN monograph on the 1793 cents and half cent and Chapman's 1926 **THE CENTS OF 1794**.
120. Overton, Al C. **EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES 1794-1836**. 1967, 1st ed. 8vo. red cloth. 349 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. VF. (35.00)
C-S 12330. The first edition of the standard reference for bust half dollar collectors continues to be eagerly pursued.
121. Overton, Al C. **EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES 1794-1836**. 1970, Revised edition, 2nd printing. 8vo, green cloth. 274 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. VF. (35.00)
C-S 12330. The revisions in the second edition made the standard reference more coherent and easier to use.
122. Scott, Kenneth. **COUNTERFEITING IN COLONIAL AMERICA**. 1957. 8vo, black cloth. 283 pp. 5 pls. VF. (25.00)
13645*, "Comprehensive study on various forms of wampum, foreign coins, paper money, counterfeited by the British or local people". Always one of our most popular offerings. Of obvious importance for the collector of early American coinage and paper money, this serious work reads like a novel.
123. Scott, Kenneth. **COUNTERFEITING IN COLONIAL CONNECTICUT**. 1957. ANS NNM-140. 8vo, CaC. 243 pp. 46 fine pls. Fine. (20.00)
C-S 13646. Arranged chronologically covering from 1720 to 1776, this scholarly study dealing with counterfeiting paper money is based on records from the 18th century Superior Court. Definitive.
124. Scott, Kenneth. **COUNTERFEITING IN COLONIAL NEW YORK**. 1953. NNM-127. 8vo, CaC. 222 pp. 13 fine pls. Fine. (20.00)
C-S 13638. Although the study is organized chronologically from the early 1700's to the revolution, the two chapters detailing the "Albany County Gang" and the "Ford Gang" are fascinating reading.
125. Sheldon, William H. **EARLY AMERICAN CENTS**. 1949. 8vo, tan cloth. 339 pp. 51 fine pls. Nearly VF. (75.00)
The forerunner of **PENNY WHIMSY** along with Crosby's **EARLY COINS OF AMERICA** are arguably the two most influential works in the science of American numismatics.
126. Sheldon, William H. with the collaboration of Dorothy I. Paschal and Walter Breen. **PENNY WHIMSY. A Revision of EARLY AMERICAN CENTS**. 1958. 8vo, tan cloth. 340 pp. 51 fine pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (75.00)
C-S 12341. For some reason unbeknownst to us, this title is in surprising demand for collectors. How can that be? This is only concerned with "raw" coins. There are no chapters on investment, telemarketing, or slabbing. Incidentally, despite the recent release of a new Sheldon reprint, the strong demand for the all pre-1976 editions continues unabated because of the superior plates in them.
127. Sheldon, William H. with the collaboration of Dorothy I. Paschal and Walter Breen. **PENNY WHIMSY. A Revision of EARLY AMERICAN CENTS**. 1965 reprint of the 1958 original edition. 8vo, tan cloth. 340 pp. 51 fine pls. VF. (75.00)
C-S 12341. "The 1965 printing of Penny Whimsy is issued in response to the pressure of popular demand. The text is exactly as printed in 1958 except for corrections of proofreaders' errors." Incidentally, it is not generally known that this edition was printed by Krause Publications.
128. Sigler, Phares O. **NUMISMATIC BIBLIOGRAPHY**. 1951. 8vo, blue cloth. 189 pp. Nearly VF. (20.00)
C-S 24. Sigler's bibliography contains 3138 entries. We find this quite useful as many of the entries are not even listed in the 1985 Clain-Stefanelli bibliography. Scarce.
129. Snowden, James Ross (Director of the Mint). **A DESCRIPTION OF ANCIENT AND MODERN COINS IN THE CABINET COLLECTION AT THE MINT OF THE UNITED STATES**. 1860. 8vo, three quarter leather and cloth, five slightly raised bands. 412 pp. 27 plates of coins printed in relief and in metallic tints, marbelled endpapers and edges. The covers are rubbed at the extremities. The pine a bit more heavily rubbed. The contents are essentially Fine with the plates showing modest toning. (125.00)
Despite this work being known eponymously (a "Snowden"), Snowden acknowledged that George Bull, recently put in charge of the Mint cabinet, assisted by Du Bois, prepared and arranged this book. Also of note, this was the first occasion that the chromolithographic process for coloring embossed plates was used in American printing.
130. Taxay, Don. **SCOTT'S COMPREHENSIVE CATALOGUE AND ENCYCLOPEDIA OF U.S. COINS**, 1971. 1970. 8vo, blue cloth. 400 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)
Taxay's research and scholarship is invaluable for all series. Of particular note is the information on colonials, patterns, and seated coinage.

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137. Atkins, James. **THE COINS AND TOKENS OF THE POSSESSIONS AND COLONIES OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.** 1889. 8vo, quarter leather and cloth, top edge gilt. 402 pp. Ills. Pencil and ink notations in the margins. The covers are rubbed. The binding is quite weak (nearly separated) in the Canadian section. The contents are otherwise essentially Fine. (35.00)

C-S 8432*. This work is especially popular on this side of the Atlantic as there is a major section devoted to "Coins and Tokens ... in America Embracing Early American, Newfoundland, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward's Island ... British Columbia, Canada ... the West Indies." For years, this was the most widely used reference for collectors of Canadian coinage. Important.

The Rare Catalogue of the COUNTESSE De BENTINCK Collection

138. Bentinck, Comtesse Douair de. **CATALOGUE D'UNE COLLECTION DE MEDAILLES ANTIQUES, FAITE PAR LA CSSE. DOUAIR, DE BENTINCK, NEE CSSE. D'ALDENBERG, DAME DE VAREL, KNIEPHAUSEN ET DOORWERTH.** 3 Volumes. 1787, Amsterdam. 4to, leatherbound, raised bands, gilt. xi, (1), 726; (1), 395 [numbered 726-1122; xlii, (1), 241, 39 pp. Numerous engravings of coins in the text. The covers of Volume I are split from the spine about two inches, but are still firmly attached. The other covers are moderately worn at the extremities and edges, but still are sound and attractive. The bindings are perfect. The contents are bright, clean and better than Fine. (200.00)

Lipsius, p. 37. The original catalogue was issued in 1787 with the supplementary third volume being issued in 1788. The text is entirely in French. This is a descriptive cataloguing, with many beautiful engravings of an important 18th century cabinet. Volume I contains a descriptive cataloguing of the ancient Greek and Roman coins in the collection. Volume II contains Roman Imperial coinage in silver. The third volume contains the supplementary ancient coinage which was not included in the other volumes.

Ex-Lepczyk 22, lot 1450. This was sold in Lepczyk's 1977 C.N.A. sale where it was described as VF. The only other offering of all three volumes which we could find was in a Seaby fixed price list in August of 1980 where it was listed for 175 pounds. and described as "The first and only edition and very rare". This is a handsome set of a rare work.

139. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira Eliza. **RUSSIAN GOLD COINS.** 1962. 12mo, red leatherette, gilt. 39 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

C-S 11140. By far the most elusive of all of Dr. Clain-Stefanelli's works, this little jewel, originally published serially in Spink's 1962 **NUMISMATIC CIRCULAR**, covers from Alexander I onward. "Our scope is to give not only a general view of the different types and issues in their chronological sequence, but also to place the coinage within the historical evolution of the monetary policy of the various countries." Also included is some discussion of the platinum issues.

140. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira and Vladimir. **THE BEAUTY AND LORE OF COINS, CURRENCY, AND MEDALS.** 1974. Blue cloth, gilt. 256 pp. Heavily illustrated, many in color. VF. (20.00)

Breathtaking color and monochrome plates. The distinguished authors "tried to highlight the human experience in all its intriguing fascinating ways through [numismatics]". The superior, readable text surveys the full range of numismatics. Vastly underappreciated.

141. Crowther, Rev. G.F. **A GUIDE TO ENGLISH PATTERN COINS IN GOLD, SILVER, COPPER, AND PEWTER, FROM EDWARD I. TO VICTORIA, with their Value.** 1887. 12mo, gray embossed cloth, gilt. 60 pp. Ills. VG or better. (15.00)

A descriptive listing with provenances and prices from auctions. This looks nicer than its description.

142. Del Mar, Alexander. **THE SCIENCE OF MONEY.** 1885, 1st ed. London. 8vo, blue cloth. 122 pp. Frontis. The spine is worn at the extremities. The joints are starting. Some foreedge fading from waterstaining. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

C-S 59 (for the 1967 4th revised edition.) Del Mar was formerly the Director of the Bureau of Statistics for the U.S. A scarce treatise on monetary theory.

143. Dye, John S. **DYE'S COIN ENCYCLOPEDIA: A Complete Illustrated History of the Coins of the World.** 1883. Thick 8vo, three quarter leather and cloth, 5 raised spine bands, top edge gilt marbelled endpapers. 1152 pp. Ills. But for some modest rubbing at the extremities, nearly VF. (75.00)

This massive work was a visionary attempt to create a one volume numismatic reference work on world coinage. Although this is not the original binding, it appears to be have been rebound soon after it was issued. As the original bindings generally appear damaged because of the vast number of pages, this perfectly sound copy in a beautiful binding is particularly desirable.

144. Greiling, Richard (Zigarettenfabrik Greiling AG, Dresden). **GREILING MUNZ SAMMLUNG.** 1929. Oblong album, 32 x 28 cm. Gilt lettered red card covers. (4) pp. 44 plates of mounted cards depicting coins of the world in relief in their metallic colors. Fine. (175.00)

While the pages and the covers are Fine, the hundreds of 4 x 6 cm. cards are bright and nearly perfect. Several cards have come unglued but are present. Complete albums of these cards that were premiums in packs of cigarettes are quite rare. The coins of 64 countries are represented with the U.S. section having 14 cards representing on separate cards the obverses and reverses of a 1924 \$20.00, and 1879 \$10.00, a 1909 \$5.00, a 1915 \$2.50, the obverse and reverse of an undated Morgan dollar, a 1907 half dollar, and three cards with a 1924 quarter, a 1927 dime, a 1928-S nickel, and a 1909 VDB cent. The quality of the engraved, embossed cards is astonishing. This is the finest of four albums I have seen over the last 15 years. Rare, important, fascinating, and neat.

145. Gutttag Bros. GUTTAG'S FOREIGN CURRENCY AND EXCHANGE GUIDE. 1921. 12mo, cloth. 130 pp. Fine. (10.00)

Cute and always collectible. In better condition than what normally appears.

146. Hawkins, Edward. THE SILVER COINS OF ENGLAND ARRANGED AND DESCRIBED; WITH REMARKS ON BRITISH MONEY, PREVIOUS TO THE SAXON DYNASTIES. THIRD EDITION, WITH ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS BY R.L. KENYON. 1887, 3rd ed. 8vo, later cloth binding. 508 pp. Frontis. 54 engraved plates. The plates show some foxing. The contents VG. (35.00)

C-S 9687. This copy has additional illustrations glued in the margins and has several pages from other sources bound within the contents. Despite the described flaws this is still quite sound. The third edition of this classic reference is quite scarce.

147. Hazlitt, W. Carew. COINAGE OF THE EUROPEAN CONTINENT With an Introduction and Catalogues of Mints, Denominations, and Rulers. 1893. 12mo, original quarter leather and cloth, top edge gilt. 554 pp. Ills. The covers are rubbed at the extremities. (25.00)

C-S 7910. This classic reference tends to be quite underappreciated. Along with the readable text on medieval and modern Europe coinage, the 100+ page alphabetical section on European mints, other sections on European coin denominations, lists of European rulers make this quite a useful reference.

148. Hobson, Burton. HISTORIC GOLD COINS OF THE WORLD. 1971. 4to, blue cloth. 192 pp. Color ill. Vals. VF. (25.00)

A handsome book illustrating 244 gold coins, mostly of both sides, in full color. The accompanying historical text is quite useful. The coinage dealt with covers ancient, medieval, and modern world gold. This has become quite scarce in nice condition.

149. Holmasto, Thure R. [SILVER & COPPER COINS OF RUSSIA] 1968. 12mo, blue cloth. 77, 67 pp. Vals. Fine or better. (20.00)

This work is divided into two parts: the silver issues and the copper issues. Although we are unfamiliar with this, because the spine is printed in English with the contents entirely in Finnish, we believe that this work was issued in two books, and were later bound together. Although the text requires a reading knowledge of Finnish, the main guidebook pages list the issues by date and mintmark, and are priced in three grades.

150. Humphreys, H[enry] Noel. THE COIN COLLECTOR'S MANUAL. 1876. 2 Volumes. 12mo, decorated cloth. 726 pp. 11 engraved pls. The covers are split by the spine. The joints are starting. The contents are essentially Fine. (25.00)

This estimable work was issued in many different printings from 1853 to 1891. We have found this printing to be scarcer. This was intended to replace Pinkerton as an overview of ancient coinage.

151. Humphreys, H[enry] Noel. THE COIN COLLECTOR'S MANUAL. 1887. Volume 1. 12mo, later green cloth. 352 pp. 9 engraved pls. Essentially Fine. (15.00)

The first volume covers ancient coinage from the origin of coinage through Maximinus from 235 to 238 A.D.

152. Jenkins, G. Kenneth. ANCIENT GREEK COINS. 1972. 4to, blue cloth, gilt. 310 pp. 20 colour pls. 615 monochrome illustrations. VF. (125.00)

The most sought after volume in WORLD OF NUMISMATICS series. Other than Kraay's 1966 work, this is the most visually impressive reference on Greek coinage. This handsome work is a chronological study "from the archaic period, through the golden era of Athens, to the Hellenic period of Athens that began with Alexander the Great." Both scholarly and readable, this work discusses and catalogues nearly 700 coins. Of great utility for both the novice and experienced collector.

153. Jewett, Llewellyn. THE DESCRIPTIVE HAND-BOOK OF ENGLISH COINS Giving a Concise Description of the Various Denominations of Coin from the Norman Conquest to the Present Reign. nd (c.1879). 16mo, green cloth. 77 pp. 10 engraved metallically tinted plates. The covers are rubbed. The binding is weak. The contents are clean. (15.00)

In sale 10 we offered a 24mo version of this work. The pagination, the layout, and the contents are identical. No date is present anywhere in this work.

154. Kalkowski, Tadeusz. TYSIAC LAT MONETY POLSKIEJ [THOUSAND YEARS OF POLISH COINS] 1968, 2nd ed. 4to, ivory cloth. 61 pp. Ills. Nearly VF. (35.00)

C-S 10996. Not intended as a comprehensive guide to Polish coins, the book illustrates and discusses 191 different types covering the millennium of Polish coinage and "characteristic of the epoch where they were in use." Although this is written entirely in Polish, the three page English language summary makes this much more accessible. It also includes a three page Russian summary.

155. MacDonald, George. COIN TYPES. Their Origin and Development Being the Rhind Lectures for 1904. 1905. 8vo, original yellow cloth. 275 pp. 10 fine tissue interleaved pls. Unopened and untrimmed. The top edge of the back cover has a heavy gouge, otherwise Fine. (25.00)

156. Noe, Sydney. A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF GREEK COIN HOARDS (Second Edition). ANS NNM-78. 1937. 362 pp. The covers are soiled, but the binding is perfect and the contents are VF. (45.00)

Noe's first edition was published in 1925 as NNM-25. This volume lists 1186 hoards including indexes by mints and finding dates. Because of the thickness of this volume, the bindings are generally in terrible condition. Despite the cover soiling, it is probable that this has rarely been opened.

157. Petrovk, V.I. CATALOGUE DES MONNAIES RUSSES de tous les Princes, Tsars et Empereurs depuis 980 jusqu'a 1899. 1964 reprint of the 1899 second edition. 4to, dark green cloth. 85 pp. 46 engraved pls. But for some cover fading and both top corners being bumped this is nearly VF. (25.00)

C-S 11184. The format consists of a cataloguing of Russian coinage in all metals with Russian and French side-by-side on each page. The engraved plates are most helpful for the crude issues.

158. Porteous, John. COINS. 1973, 2nd ed. 8vo, light blue pictorial cloth. 96 pp. 183 illustrations, many in color. VF. (15.00)

C-S 117. A handsome, profusely illustrated survey of coinage of the western world from 7th century B.C. Greece to the present day. Porteous' works are characterized by magnificent illustrations and excellent, readable (but vastly underappreciated) text.

159. Remick, Jerome et al. THE GUIDEBOOK AND CATALOGUE OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COINS 1649-1971. 1971, 3rd ed. 8vo, black boards. 568 pp. Ills. Vals. Covers slightly rubbed, Fine. (20.00)

Our choice as the best single resource for British Commonwealth coinage. A comprehensive mini-encyclopedia invaluable for British, Anglo-Hanoverian coinage, India native states, Malaysian peninsula, and Oceania. Valuable text. A superior reference work.

160. Schwarz, Ted. COINS AS LIVING HISTORY. 1976. 8vo, black cloth. 224 pp. Ills. VF or better. (15.00)

"Fascinating accounts of how coins and currency reflected or influenced the course of history". The chapters include the coinage of Augustus, and Nero and Agrippina; the colonial coinage of John Hull, Confederate coinage, California gold rush coins, the large cent "America's Most Abused Coin". Quite readable and useful. Underappreciated.

161. Severin, H.M. GOLD AND PLATINUM COINAGE OF IMPERIAL RUSSIA FROM 1701 TO 1911: A Compilation of all Known Types and Varieties. 1958. 12mo, red cloth, gilt. 77 pp. 17 fine pls. VF. (30.00)

C-S 11193". All of the denominations from 1701 to 1911 are listed including all known varieties. Written completely in English, this has become quite scarce.

162. Smith, A.M. ILLUSTRATED ENCYCLOPEDIA OF GOLD AND SILVER COINS OF THE WORLD ILLUSTRATING THE MODERN, ANCIENT, CURRENT, AND CURIOUS FROM 1885 A.D. BACK TO 700 B.C. 1886. Small 4to, later red cloth. 511 pp. Frontis steel plate engraving of Mason. Ills. The covers are faded at the spine. The contents are Fine. (35.00)

Ex-Katen 44, lot 1118. Another of the Krause "telephone book" forerunners, this handsome work is quite scarce.

A NEARLY COMPLETE SET OF REDBOOKS

A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, better known as THE REDBOOK is both the most successful book, and the most influential numismatic book in American history. Produced by Richard Yeo, his real name, THE REDBOOK has been issued since 1947. REDBOOK collectors have become quite conscious of book condition. The major areas of concern are the brightness of the gilt on the spine and on the front cover, the tightness of the binding, and the cleanliness of the contents.

We will offer the first 10 editions individually except for the ninth edition which is not present. Editions 11 to 39 (1986) will be offered as one lot. We will also offer one lot at the end of the listings permitting one bid on the entire lot of the first 39 volumes of REDBOOKS if the total of the bids exceeds the bids on each of the individual lots.

163. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1947, 1st ed. 1946. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. VG. (125.00)

Ex-Katen Sale 49, Lot 318 where it brought \$140.00. The rear hinge is very weak; the front hinge moderately so. The spine is slightly sunned. The covers show modest overall wear without any noteworthy damage. The gilt is slightly muted. The contents are clean and Fine.

164. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1948, 2nd ed. 1947. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (125.00)

The rear cover shows some spotting. The front cover is relatively clean. The bottom of the front cover shows a bump. The binding is perfectly tight. The contents are clean. This is a rather nice copy. The front gilt is bright. The spine gilt is muted.

165. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1949, 3rd ed. 1948. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. VG. (100.00)

The top of the spine is heavily worn. The binding is weak by the rear hinge. The spine is slightly sunned. The gilt is less faded than normal for this year. The covers relatively clean. The contents are clean and Fine.

166. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1951-1952, 4th ed. 1950. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers are better than Fine. The contents are better than VF. (85.00)

The covers are bright and show only the slightest wear. The edge gilt bright but not strongly impressed. The cover gilt bright. The binding tight. There are a few slight corner bumps with some wear on the spine. The contents are bright and clean. A really nice copy.

167. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1952-1953, 5th ed. 1951. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. VG. (85.00)

The covers are evenly worn and show some spotting and a few stains. There is heavy wear at the top of the backstrip and on the bottom corners of the covers. The joints are weak. The contents are bright, clean, and virtually VF. This is better than the typical key third edition than one normally sees.

168. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1953-54, 6th ed. 1952. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. Fine. (75.00)

Ex- Katen sale 49, lot 323. The covers show some spotting, more heavily so on the upper right quadrant of the back cover. The binding is tight. The contents are clean and Fine or better.

169. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1954-55, 7th ed. 1953. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. Better than Fine. (50.00)

Ex-Kolbe sale 3, lot 553. The spine is sunned. The rear hinge is weakening. Otherwise this is bright, clean, and attractive.

170. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1955, 8th ed. 1954. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. Better than Fine. (50.00)

The covers and the contents are generally bright and clean except for a few spots. One bruise on the fore edge of the front cover. The contents are bright and clean. The binding is tight. Overall a really nice copy.

171. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1957, 10th ed. 1956. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (40.00)

There is some rub at the edges and the extremities from shelf wear. Otherwise this is a most attractive, bright, clean copy.

172. Yeoman, R. S. 27 Consecutive Editions of A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS from the 1958, 11th edition to the 1984, 37th edition. Ills. Vals. VF. (150.00)

The so-called "short set" of REDBOOKS. Generally these are VF or better copies. This grouping presents an altogether most satisfactory opportunity to obtain a worthwhile, attractive set.

173. Yeoman, R. S. The Previous 10 lots of A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS from the 1947 First Edition Volume to the 1984, 37th edition. Ills. Vals. (880.00)

THE BID FOR THIS LOT MUCH EXCEED THE TOTAL OF BIDS FOR EACH OF THE PRECEDING 11 LOTS OF REDBOOKS.

174. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1948, 2nd ed. 1947. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. (45.00)

Ex-Katen sale 49, lot 319. The covers are evenly worn and show some scuffing. The hinges are weakening. The contents are clean and Fine.

175. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1948, 2nd ed. 1947. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. (35.00)

The covers are heavily worn and spotted with a postal label on the front cover covering the edition number. The hinges are very weak. The contents are clean and Fine. This would make a good reference copy.

176. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1951-1952, 4th ed. 1950. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. (35.00)

The front cover shows slight wear; However, the back cover shows heavy water damage affecting the cloth, the cardboard, and the last ten leaves. The contents of the last half of the book show modest residual wrinkling from being wet. Still the contents are mostly bright and clean. This would be an excellent reference copy.

177. Yeoman, R. S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1957, 10th ed. 1956. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. (10.00)

The covers show wear. The contents are VG

Some BLUEBOOKS

178. Yeoman, R. S., Lee Hewitt, and Charles Green. HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS WITH PREMIUM LIST. 1948, 6th ed. 1947. 127 pp. Ills. Vals. The title page has been removed. Otherwise VG. (20.00)

The contents are clean and Fine. The covers show wear. The hinges are weak.

179. Yeoman, R. S., Lee Hewitt, and Charles Green. HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS WITH PREMIUM LIST. 1949, 7th ed. 1948. 127 pp. Ills. Vals. Fine. (30.00)

The covers show some modest soiling and wear. The gilt is heavily muted. The rear hinge is weakening. The contents are clean, bright, and VF. This is a nice copy.

180. Yeoman, R. S., Lee Hewitt, and Charles Green. HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS WITH PREMIUM LIST. 1949, 7th ed. 1948. 127 pp. Ills. Vals. (25.00)

The covers are heavily worn and scuffed. The binding is tight. The contents are clean and Fine.

181. Yeoman, R. S., Lee Hewitt, and Charles Green. HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS WITH PREMIUM LIST. 1950, 8th ed. 127 pp. Ills. Vals. Overall VG. (20.00)

The covers are worn. A previous owner's name in ink on the front endpaper. The binding is tight. The contents are clean and Fine.

182. Yeoman, R. S., Lee Hewitt, and Charles Green. HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS WITH PREMIUM LIST 1952, 9th ed. 1951. 127 pp. Ills. Vals. Fine. (25.00)

The covers are bright, but show some wear. The binding is perfect. The contents are bright and VF.

AUCTION CATALOGUES

183. Bowers and Ruddy Galleries. **THE GARRETT COLLECTION SALES.** Parts 1 through 4. 1979 to 1981. The contents of the sales are near Mint. The covers show the slightest rubbing. Overall nearly VF. (40.00)
The major American sales of our time. Cataloguing does not get much better than this.

184. Byrne, Ray. **COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS OF THE CARIBBEES.** 1975. 4to, green covers, gilt. xiii, 142 pp. 1457 lots. Ills. VF. (50.00)

C-S 12635. **THE POST-SALE PRICED PRESENTATION EDITION** of the June 13-14, 1975 Jess Peters sale of the Byrne collection. A standard reference.

185. Chapman, Henry. **Catalogue of the Celebrated Collection of ... the Late MATTHEW STICKNEY, Esq.** Comprising One of the Greatest Collections Ever Sold in this Country. June 25-29, 1907. 4to, original white cloth and boards, gilt. 222 pp. 3026 lots. The covers are worn as usually found. The contents are clean and better than Fine. (100.00)

Adams, A+. Features a Brasher doubloon, and 1804 dollar, 1815 half eagle. Superior colonials, patterns, Washingtonia, pioneer gold, and U.S. coins in all series. Superior cataloguing. According to Mr. Kolbe, "Arguably the most important collection of American coins and medals ever sold by the Chapmans." Many of Stickney's colonials were used by Crosby as plate coins. 360 colonials: 1776 New Hampshire cent, 1776 Mass. "Janus head" half penny, all of the rare NY colonials - ad infinitum. One of the greatest numismatic sales ever held in the United States.

186. Federal Brand Enterprises (Cleveland). **FLORIDA UNITED NUMISMATIST [F.U.N.] MILLION DOLLAR AUCTION SALE.** January 3-7, 1963. 4to, green cloth, gilt, original covers bound in. 156 pp. 4519 lots, Prl bound in. 16 pls. VF. (100.00)

THE SPECIAL HARDBOUND EDITION. Highlights: the "Dunham" 1829 small letters \$5.00 (important text) brought \$21,000. 6 lots of encased postage, 40 bust dollars, 350 lots of "Rolls", exceptional large currency, 13 multiple talers, important Russian. Quite scarce in the deluxe format.

187. Harmer-Rooke. [Gengerke 1] **A Million Dollar Sale, Part I.** November 17-22, 1969. 217 pp. 4119 lots 22 plates. Fine. (15.00)

Catalogued by Don Taxay. Ronald Wright's Mormon collection, 69 lots. Ray Johnson's colonials: 227 lots with 88 states colonials - 78 NJ coppers, 60 Washingtonia. 36 half cents. 5 1793 large cents. 2-1792 half dismes. Birch Cent. 1000 lot Virgil Brand's outstanding Civil War tokens. Also Brand's 475 Masonic pennies. Perkins cent. Quintuple Stella. 144 currency vignettes.

188. Harmer-Rooke. [Gengerke 2] **A Million Dollar Sale, Part II.** February 4-5, 1970. 76 pp. 1398 lots. Nearly VF. (12.00)

All numismatic literature. A bibliography of 87 small format Chapman sales. 51 Chapman bidbooks. 180 lots of Chapmans. 317 other lots of U.S. numismatic literature, including an 1884 Steigerwalt.

189. Harmer-Rooke. [Gengerke 3] **A Million Dollar Sale, Part III.** March 12-13, 1970. 64 pp. 1380 lots. 7 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (12.00)

Ancient Greek and Roman coins, foreign minors and crowns, British Museum electrotypes of rare Greek coins. Also, U.S. gold, silver, and copper coinage.

190. Kagin's. **The 1977 A.N.A. Sale.** August 23-27, 1977. 8vo, brown pebbled cloth, gilt. 5446 lots. Prl bound in. Color plates and monochrome illustrations. VF. (50.00)

THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. This sale was issued with five card covered volumes in a light cardboard slipcase. The deluxe edition is in particular demand for being one. self-contained volume.

191. Katen, Frank and Laurese. **Sales 44 & 45.** 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. PRLs bound inside. VF. (35.00)

THE DELUXE BOUND EDITION. Sales 44 and 45 contain the first two parts of the sale Wylie hoard of 19th century auction catalogues.

192. Katen, Frank [and Laurese]. **22 of 23 Sales (Sales 32 to 54, missing only sale 43).** 8vo, CaC. PRL only for sale 49 Some illustrated. A few with some inked notations inside. Generally Fine to VF. (125.00)

From the godfather of numismatic literature. Mr. Katen conducted the 1948 A.N.A. auction, his eighth sale. Beginning with Sale 29 in June of 1958, Mr. Katen's catalogues became primarily sales of numismatic literature. Of special significance were the LYNN NOYES library (sale 36); The legendary GEORGE J. FULD LIBRARY (sales 36 and 37) which is arguably the finest American library of numismatic literature yet offered; SOL KAPLAN (sales 41 & 42), LEE HEWITT (sale 42), the incredible "WYLIE HOARD OF NINETEENTH CENTURY AUCTION CATALOGUES" offered in sales 44, 45, 46, 52, and 53. The importance of this lot cannot be overstated for the numismatic bibliophile.

193. Merkin, Lester. **The AL C. OVERTON Reference Collection of Bust Half Dollar Varieties.** June 15, 1974. 41 pp. 1070 lots. VF. (25.00)

Lester Merkin's sales may very well be the most underappreciated group of auction catalogues in the field. With Walter Breen having done so much of the cataloguing, the quality of the offerings and the text rank with the best. Obviously, the Bust Half nuts will be after this sale. While there are no illustrations in this sale, plate coins from the first and second editions of Overton's early half dollar reference are indicated. 508 bust half varieties are indicated. To make things interesting, there are also 175 attributed, thoroughly described large cents here. Extremely elusive.

194. NASCA. The WAYTE RAYMOND Collection. (All 4 sales). Each sale is quarto with CaC. (40.00)
 Part I. December 5-8, 1977. 160 pp. 3714 lots w/Prl. Ills. and 31pp. plate supplement. All foreign: excellent British, German, with many proofs and specimens. Record prices set. Fine.
 Part II. June 6, 1978. 139 pp. 4573 lots w/Prl. 38 plates. Raymond's collection of medalllic art of the U.S. and the world. 550 lots of British and 800 lots of American medals. Fine.
 Part III. August 14-16, 1978. 156 pp. 3517 lots w/Prl. Ills. & 34 pp. plate supplement. Important Germanic, British, Commonwealth, and Russian. Fine.
 Part IV. December 8, 1978. 100 pp. 1607 lots. Ills. & 8 plates. Exceptional British, Commonwealth, and Spanish. Fine.

195. New Netherlands (with Schulman, Gans, Grunthal). Sale 38. 1952 A.N.A. SALE. August 16, 18-19, 1952. 8vo, white CaC. 158 pp. 4880 lots. 48 fine plates. VF. (25.00)

The most in-demand and probably the best and most important postwar A.N.A. sale. It would take a separate catalog to annotate this appropriately Highlights: Homer K. Downing large cents: 390 "Sheldons" with important text (24 pp.), 17-1793s, 73-1794s, unique lettered edge Jefferson cent; 85 "Newcombs" with extensive text; 106 lots of well-catalogued, important numismatic literature. Rumbel's "finest and largest ever" Lesher dollars; Rumbel's and Lathrop's important bust dollars; important ancient Greek, colonials, patterns, multiple talers, gold, assay medals, Canadian tokens. This is a really nice copy.

196. New Netherlands. 58th Catalogue. September 22-23, 1964. 64 pp. 1102 lots. 8 fine pls. VF. (25.00)
 One of the most important sales ever of Canadian decimal coinage. In great demand.

197. New Netherlands. 59th Catalogue. June 13-15, 1967. 136 pp. 1370 lots. 6 fine pls. VF. (25.00)

Absolutely superb numismatic literature, ex Raymond - Boyd, superbly catalogued by John Ford. 184 important large cents catalogued by John Hanson, including a 1795 "Jefferson head" and many census pieces. 450 lots of extraordinary Canadian. Perhaps the most underappreciated New Netherlands sale.

198. New Netherlands. 60th Public Auction Sale. December 12-13, 1968. 114 pp. 758 lots. 16 fine pls. VF. (18.00)

327 colonials with important text, featuring important states colonials including 46 important NJ cents. Also good pre - Confederation Canadian and Important territorial and private gold. A numismatic sale with superior coinage and with unexcelled cataloguing.

199. New Netherlands. 61st Public Auction Sale. June 30, 1970. 61 pp. 607 lots. 6 pls. VF. (15.00)

108 important patterns. Quality half cents and large cents. Angus Black collection of half dimes, with 1802 nEF. Important text on the early half dimes.

200. RARCOA. The N[athan] M. KAUFMAN Collection. August 4-5, 1978. 8vo, white cloth, gilt, color illustration mounted on cover. 139 pp. 974 lots. PRL Tipped in pocket. 8 color plates. Ills. The cloth covers are slightly soiled and are discolored at the spine, else VF. (45.00)

C-S 12005. A legendary collection with a neat story. 110 lots of private & territorial gold. Absolutely outstanding gold: 33 lots of pre-1830 \$5.00s with one of two then known 1825/4s. A slew of proof \$10.00s and \$20.00s. 5 unique patterns in white metal.

201. RARCOA. The N[athan] M. KAUFMAN Collection. August 4-5, 1978. 8vo, glossy white CaC. 139 pp. 974 lots. PRL. 8 color plates. Ills. The covers are nearly VF. The contents are VF. (15.00)

C-S 12005. ANOTHER AS ABOVE, but the regular card covered catalogue. This is much nicer than the usual copy which appears in the marketplace.

202. Sotheby's. 7 Important Sales from 1846 to 1874, Each Neatly Priced and Named in Ink. 8vo, three quarter leather, 5 raised bands, marbelled boards. The covers are moderately worn, but still sound and attractive. The original paper covers are not present. The contents are sound, clean, and Fine. (150.00)

- [1]. Catalogue of a Miscellaneous Collection of English Coins and Medals, The Property of a Gentleman ... to which is Added the Collection of a Gentleman, Deceased [MR. COBBETT]. May 21, 1846. 18 pp. 170 lots. Manville & Robertson, p. 88.
- [2]. Catalogue of a Cabinet of English Coins, The Property of a Gentleman [MR. CORKE]. April 15, 1848. 14 pp. 143 lots. Manville & Robertson, p. 90.
- [3]. Catalogue of a Small Collection of English Coins & Medals, The Property of MR. JOHN FIELD. September 15, 1848. 15 pp. 163 lots. Manville & Robertson, p. 91.
- [4]. Catalogue of the Collection of Greek, Roman, Early British, Saxon and English Coins, The Property of WILLIAM HOARE, Esq. March 25-26, 1850. 28 pp. 294 lots. Manville & Robertson, p. 96.
- [5]. Catalogue of the Valuable Collection of English Coins & Medals in Gold and Silver, The Property of ABRAHAM RHODES, Esq. March 31, 1851. 14 pp. 175 lots. Manville & Robertson, p. 97.
- [6]. Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of English Coins and Medals of the Late CHARLES HURT, Esq.... June 9-11 & 13-15, 1853. 67 pp. 1072 lots. Manville & Robertson, p. 102. Some foxing on the last leaf.
- [7]. Catalogue of Some Very Valuable Coins and Medals of All Periods [RICHARD WILLIAM HERBERT NASH]. June 12-13 & 15-16, 1874. 54 pp. 785 lots. Manville & Robertson, p. 136. The last page is soiled.

203. Sotheby & Co. [KING FAROUK]. The Palace Collection of Egypt. Catalogue of the Highly Important and Extremely Valuable Collection of Coins and Medals, the Property of the Republic of Egypt. February 24-March 6, 1954. 8vo, 1/4 green leather and green boards, the original paper cover mounted on the front board. 306 pp. 2798 lots. 37 pls. The covers are worn and rubbed. The corners of the back cover are bent. Other than some pencilled notations inside, the contents are Fine. (35.00)

The intrigue surrounding the legendary Farouk sale is one of the great numismatic tales of this century. We are not aware of any official copies of this Farouk sale being bound in this fashion.

204. Stack's. The GEORGE HALL Collection of U.S. Coins. May 15-19, 1945. 8vo, brown cloth, gilt. 132 pp. 2391 lots. Ills. The original covers are not bound inside. VF. (45.00)
THE SPECIAL HARDBOUND EDITION. C-S 11986. Highlights: a 1792 Birch cent. Excellent colonials: 3 Chalmers, Lord Baltimore sixpence, 2 Higley coppers. Washington "Roman Head" cent, 1792 half dollar in copper. 70 lots of attributed half cents with many proofs. 135 lots of good large cents with 2 unc 1793 "wreaths" & an EF 1799. 1802 half dime. Excellent seated dimes. 1876-CC 20 cent. 1796 15 & 16 star halves, VF 1797. Proof 1878-S half dollar. Good bust and seated dollars. Unc 1903-O Morgan dollar (from when these were rare). 650 lots of U.S gold with 14 lots of Bechtler gold. Regular copies of this sale are rare in nice condition.
205. Stack's. The JOHN WORK GARRETT Collection/The JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY. March 12-13, 1976. 8vo, leatherette CaC. 176 pp. 678 lots. Ills. 4 color plates. VF. (18.00)
1793 wreath cent, S- 11b, ex-Frossard 1884; important half cents; Gobrecht dollars. 200 proof gold coins from 1863 to 1906, including an 1875 gold set; 4 aluminum stellas; 140 patterns. Includes the 16 page preview. Most important as the coins were the first part of the Garrett holdings to be offered at auction, prior to the Bowers and Ruddy sales. Perhaps the most elusive Stack's sale of the 1970's, especially in nice condition.
206. Stack's. The FLOYD T. STARR Collection of United States Large Cents & United States Half Cents. June 13-14, 1984. 156 pp. 930 lots. PRL. 8 color plates. Ills. WITH [The FLOYD T. STARR Collection - Part II]. December 4-6, 1984. 214 pp. 1988 lots. PRL. 7 color plates (1 of large cents). Ills. Both nearly Mint. (25.00)
This superior collection is one of the stellar modern large cent sales and reference collections.
207. Stack's. The Magnificent HERMAN HALPERN Collection of United States Large Cents. March 16-17, 1988. 244 pp. 774 lots. 8 color plates. Ills. (25.00)
Received the "1988 Catalogue of the Year" from the NLG. A leading entry in the "Decade of the Large Cent Sales".
208. Superior Stamp & Coin Co., Inc. [PRADEAU, ALEXANDER, BOTHAMLEY, and DAYAN]. Auction Catalog. September 24-26, 1970. Small format, pictorial paper covers. 108 pp. 2132 lots. 52 page plate supplement. The covers are VG. The contents are VF. (15.00)
Superior's first auction sale. 780 lots of Pradeau's Mexican from cobs, to pillars and portraits, War of Independence, Provisional, state issues, 20th century. 255 lots of ancient Greek and Roman coinage in all metals. Some attributed bust dollars. 1829 \$5.00. 1932 4 piece minor Danish proof set. 24 piece unc collection of Palestine mandate coinage. The covers are normally seen worn because the glossy paper covers rub quite easily when the contents are this thick. This catalogue is quite elusive especially with the plate supplement.
209. Superior. The GILHOUSEN Collection, Part III. October 1-4, 1973. 140 pp. 1548 lots. PRL. Ills. 60 pls. But for a slight chip at the bottom of the spine, VF. (15.00)
Important for U.S. copper and silver coinage. 18 good half cents, 34 good large cents with useful text. 29 good trimes with useful text, a rather difficult area to find information about. 33 important "Valentine date" half dimes with useful text. Extraordinary dimes from 1796. 41 important bust quarters. 103 exceptional bust halves. Extraordinary bust dollars with 3 1794s. 7 Gobrecht dollars. Important seated dollars with 1870-S. Not only are the coins exceptional, but the descriptive text is extensive and important.
210. Superior Stamp & Coin Co. The DR. CHARLES L. RUBY Collection, Part I. February 11-13, 1974. 4to, CaC with embossed foil medallion. 213 pp. 2143 lots. PRL. 72 pls. Minute chipping at base of backstrip, else VF. (30.00)
A major sale of large cents, half cents, and colonials catalogued by Walter Breen. Because of the large number of these sales used for reference, it has become increasingly difficult to obtain nice copies of this important sale. WITH The DR. CHARLES L. RUBY Collection, Part II, June 17-23, 1974.
211. Superior Stamp And Coin Co. The RIO RANCHO Estate of United States Gold Coins. October 16, 1974. 4to, black CaC. with gold embossed foil medallion of an 1879 stella on the front cover. 41 pp. 473 lots. PRL. 22 pls. VF. (15.00)
A major sale of United States gold coins: 1808 & 1854-S \$2.50s. 8 stellas, 7 pre-1801 \$10.00s, 215 \$20.00s with an 1870-CC and 7 High Reliefs, extensive territorial gold, 14 gold patterns. An important, underappreciated sale.
212. Superior Galleries. The LEE Collection of California Gold and the PETER L. SHAFFER Collection. September 25-27, 1988. 4to, pictorial CaC. 427 pp. 6064 lots. PRL. Ills. VF. (20.00)
An most important reference sale. Lee's "incomparable" California gold covers 92 pages and 1053 lots catalogued by Walter Breen with Ron Gillio. Shaffer's collection of commemorative halves is most useful not only for the superb coinage, but also for the illustrations of numerous original holders and mailing envelopes. Other items of note include an EF 1802 half dime, excellent bust and seated half dimes and dimes, 56 bust dollars with 2 1794s, the CHAN AND DYANE DE KRAMER collection of Morgan and Peace dollars with many "finest knowns", and 130 lots of attributed bust halves with 9 varieties of 1795s. Also of note 800 lots of quality U.S. gold in all series.
213. Superior Galleries. The JACK H. ROBINSON Collection of Large Cents and Half Cents. January 29-30, 1989. 4to, pictorial CaC. 360 pp. 2021 lots. PRL. Ills. 6 color pls. But for some chipping and cornering on the covers, VF. (25.00)
One of the great large cent sale of the decade, most important as a study of die states. This is a veritable textbook for the copper collector.

AN IMPORTANT CONSIGNMENT FROM AN EASTERN NUMISMATIST

214. Adams, Edgar H. and William H. Woodin. UNITED STATES PATTERN, TRIAL, AND EXPERIMENTAL PIECES. 1940 James Kelly reprint of the 1913 original. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 196 pp. Ills. Rarity scale. The covers and the contents are better than Fine. (20.00)

This particular copy is much nicer than what usually appears in the marketplace.

215. Bolender, M.H. THE UNITED STATES EARLY SILVER DOLLARS FROM 1794 TO 1803. 1969, 2nd revised edition of the 1950 original. 4to, blue cloth, gilt. 71 pp. With the 1975 Silver Anniversary valuation sheet. 9 halftone pls. VF. (25.00)

C-S 12246. This is still the standard reference for the bust dollar series.

216. Crosby, Sylvester Sage. EARLY COINS OF AMERICA. 1945 R. Green reprint of the 1875 original. 4to, green cloth, gilt. 378 pp. 10 pls. But for some spotting on the fore edges, VF. (45.00)

"Roger O. Pierce" in gilt on the bottom of the front cover. Limited to 500 copies, this was the first of the reprints, and the scarcest. This is a really nice copy. The cloth is bright and clean, and the gilt is bright.

217. Crosby, Sylvester Sage. EARLY COINS OF AMERICA. 1965 TAMS reprint of the 1875 original. 4to, maroon cloth. 378 pp. 10 pls. But for some superficial soiling of the cloth covers, VF. (35.00)

This was the second of the reprints.

218. Julian, R.W. MEDALS OF THE UNITED STATES MINT. The First Century 1792-1892. 1977, 4to, tan cloth, gilt. 424 pp. Profusely Illustrated. VF. (30.00)

C-S 15063*. This handsome, scholarly opus should be read by all numismatists, not merely medal collectors. The work begins with an excellent general history of the topic. In addition to illustrating and thoroughly cataloguing each issue, narrative text about each medals is provided. Mr. Julian is among the best of the contemporary numismatic scholars.

219. Newcomb, Howard R. UNITED STATES CENTS 1816-1857. 1963 reprint of the 1944 original. Small quarto, red pebbled cloth, gilt. 280 pp. Ills. 11 pls. VF. (35.00)

The 1963 reprint was limited to 500 copies. Along with the 1956 original, these two reprints were slightly smaller than the 1944 original but are otherwise identical.

220. Superior Stamp and Coin Company, Inc. "MONEY TALKS" 1975. 1975 (Volume 5), complete in 10 issues. 4to, red leatherette, gilt. About 250 pp. Ills. VF. (50.00)

We believe this to have been produced by Superior, and if so, This bound annual edition including the scarce June 1975 World Coins supplement is probably a special deluxe edition.

221. Wallis, Edward T. NATIONAL CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS, 1934. 1933 1st edition. Thin 16mo, blue cloth covers. 160 pp. Ills. A few pencilled checkmarks inside. The gilt is muted. The covers are Fine. The contents are better. (25.00)

This REDBOOK forerunner was produced in this format at least through 1941. It is subtitled, "showing prices on practically every coin issued by the United States Mint and the different Branches, in GOOD, FINE, and UNCIRCULATED condition, also in PROOF condition wherever proofs are known; including PRIVATE ISSUES of gold, PAPER FRACTIONAL CURRENCY, and ENCASED POSTAGE STAMPS. In addition it gives the number of pieces coined, which figures have been carefully compiled from REPORTS of the DIRECTOR of the MINT." The illustrations are line drawings. Copies of this work are quite elusive, especially in nice condition.

222. Wallis, Edward T. NATIONAL CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS, 1936. 1936, 2nd ed. Thin 16mo, brown cloth covers. 195 pp. Ills. The gilt is muted. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (20.00)

"This edition includes the COLONIAL COINS of the UNITED STATES, and these have been fully illustrated and priced according to the various grades of condition." Wallis noted in the Preface that the prices of gold coins had gone up "considerably" because of the government's having called in gold coins. This edition does list the 1933 \$20.00 as cataloguing at \$42.50 in unc. while most common \$20.00s were listed at \$40.00 in unc., and for comparison the 1930-S \$20.00 was listed at \$45.00 in unc. Wallis was the owner of California Stamp Company in Los Angeles which had moved to Hollywood as noted in this edition.

IMPORTANT CATALOGUES and DELUXE EDITIONS of U.S. Auction Sales

A Deluxe Edition of the GRINNELL Collection Sales

223. Bluestone, Barney. The Celebrated ALBERT A. GRINNELL Collection of United States Currency Catalogued by Barney Bluestone, Parts I-VII. 1944-1946. 8vo, quarter black leather and green cloth, gilt. 651 pp. Frontis. 5898 lots. Prices Realized bound in at the back. But for a 3 inch split on the edge of the spine, Fine. (200.00)

C-S 13539. THE SPECIAL HARDBOUND EDITION. "Milton R. Frank" in gilt on the bottom of the front cover. We are aware of clothbound deluxe editions. The quarter leather format is especially sought after. This series remains the premier sale of U.S. paper money yet held. Even individual copies of original sales are rarely offered. With the 1971 Anton/Perlmutter reprint already scarce, the rare deluxe original edition is decidedly elusive.

224. Bowers and Merena, Inc. [The FREDERICK TAYLOR Collection.] Limited Edition Photographic Plates. State Copper Coinage 1785-1788. 1987. Oblong quarto, purple leatherette, gilt. 23 cloth-hinged photographic plates of coins with guards. Mint. (250.00)
Number 65 of 182 examples issued. Signed by O. David Bowers, Michael Hodder, and Cathy Dumont. Each of the states copper coinage from the already classic Taylor sale is photographed both obverse and reverse. This is especially useful for collectors of Vermont, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and Connecticut copper coinage. These were produced by the master bookbinder Alan Grace.
225. Empire Coin Company. EMPIRE STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION. May 18-20, 1962. 12mo, CaC. 26 pp. 813 lots. Ills. VF. (90.00)
Highlights include a choice unc 1918/7 quarter, a proof 1858 dollar. This is the rarest auction catalogue issued by Bowers and Ruddy. In fact, several years ago QDB mentioned that at the time he did not have a copy. Incidentally the sale was "catalogued and auctioned" by Hank Spangenberg. This is a nice copy.
226. Stack's. SAMUEL W. WOLFSON Collection of United States Coins. Part I. Gold Coins. October 12-13, 1962. 8vo, light blue cloth, gilt, lettered in black and white. 127 pp. 1044 lots. Ills. PRL bound in. But for some slight discoloration on the spine, VF. (60.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. Ex-Kolbe XXI, lot 823.
227. Stack's. The GASTON DI BELLO Collection. Part II. United States Gold, Silver & Copper Coins & Patterns. May 14-16, 1970. 8vo, black cloth, pictorial cover mounted on the front. 150 pp. 1430 lots. PRL in a pocket on the last pastedown. Ills. The covers are better than Fine. The contents are VF. (60.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION.
228. Superior Stamp and Coin Co., Inc. C.O.I.N. Auction Sale Catalogue. June 15, 1972. 4to, gray cloth. Original magenta card covers bound in. 131 pp. 2550 lots. PRL. 58 pls. VF. (45.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. Antiquities from the Moshe Dayan collection (which became a political cause celebre in Israel), ancients, excellent Mexican coins (over 1000 lots), excellent world coinage especially Russian. This is one of the scarcest of the Superior deluxe editions.
229. Superior Stamp and Coin Co., Inc. The CLARKE E. GILHOUSEN Collection, Parts I-III. February 19-21, 1973; June 11-14, 1973, October 1-4, 1973. 4to, stiff leatherette card covers each with a mounted foil medallion in the original leatherette slipcase. PRLs. The slipcase has a split on the bottom edge, otherwise VF. The catalogues are nearly Mint. (75.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. Gilhausen's collection was used as collateral for an unsuccessful mining venture in the 1920's. In the 1930's Edwards H. Metcalf acquired the collection through foreclosure and a bequest. Metcalf was the actual consignee of this collection. (The foregoing information came from the important Jack Collins sale of July 4, 1987.) This is a most important sale of U.S. and foreign gold coinage and extraordinary bust silver coinage.
230. Superior Stamp and Coin Co., Inc. The DR. CHARLES L. RUBY Collection Part I. February 11-13, 1974. 4to, stiff brown leatherette card covers with a mounted foil medallion. 213 pp. 2143 lots. PRL. 72 pls. Nearly Mint. (45.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. A major sale of large cents, half cents, and colonials catalogued by Walter Breen. 361 lots of large cents with 21 attributed 1793s and 70 attributed 1794s, a census 1795 "Jefferson head" cent. 130 lots of half cents. Because so many of these catalogues have been used for reference, it has become increasingly difficult to obtain nice copies of this important sale. This sale is especially desirable in the deluxe format.
232. Superior Stamp and Coin Co., Inc. The DR. CHARLES L. RUBY Collection Part II. June 17-23, 1974. 4to, stiff green leatherette card covers with a mounted foil medallion. 205 pp. 2677 lots. PRL. 106 pls. Nearly Mint. (30.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. The second part of the Ruby sale contains ancient, medieval, and modern foreign coins. 370 lots of ancient Greek coinage. Richard Bonner's important collection of over 200 lots of ancient Judean. Also offered are 470 lots of ancient Roman. 528 crowns with 28 (!) multiple talers, 3 cinquantas. A 1725 Louis I eight reales realized \$36,000, then the highest price ever for a Latin American silver coin. Scarce in the deluxe format.
233. Superior Stamp and Coin Co., Inc. The DR. CHARLES L. RUBY Collection Part III. February 10-12, 1975. 4to, stiff white leatherette card covers with a mounted foil medallion. 180 pp. 2290 lots. PRL. 78 pls. Nearly Mint. (35.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. 327 well-provenanced large cents. 282 early dates with 16 1793s, 49 1794s (including a starred reverse), a 1795 "Jefferson head", 35 1796s, 40 1798s. 22 Indian Peace medals. 40 lots of R. J. Harper's inaugural medals. The "finest known" 1805 4 berries B-4 quarter. 72 bust halves. Good early U.S. gold. Quality ancient Roman Republican and Imperial coinage. Quite an underappreciated sale, especially desirable in the deluxe format.
234. Superior Stamp and Coin Co. THE 1975 A.N.A. Auction Sale. August 19-23, 1975. 4to, padded beige leatherette, gilt. 316 pp. 3582 lots. 182 halftone pls. The PRL and Plate Supplement are tipped in. Slight cover soiling, else VF. (125.00)
THE DELUXE LIMITED EDITION. According to Jack Collins, only 100 copies were produced in this format, and approximately half were thrown out by mistake. Copies in the deluxe format are in fact rare, and turn up on the secondary market most infrequently.
235. Superior Stamp and Coin Co., Inc. The Rio Rancho Collection of UNITED STATES Gold Coins. October 15, 1974. 4to, stiff black leatherette card covers with a mounted foil medallion. 41 pp. 473 lots. PRL. 22 pls. Nearly Mint. (35.00)
THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. A major sale: 1808 \$2.50, 2 1854-S \$2.50s, 8 stellas, 7 pre 1801 eagles, 215 (!) \$20.00s with an 1870-CC and 7 high-reliefs, extensive territorial gold, 14 gold patterns. This is a decidedly underappreciated

sale in a desirable format. I know that this sale is not being listed in chronological order, but I prefer to list the 3 parts of the Ruby sale consecutively.

236. Superior Stamp and Coin Co. Inc. The DR. WALTER LEE CROUCH Collection. June 13-16, 1977. 4to, padded beige leatherette, gilt. 262 pp. 3084 lots. 92 pls. But for some slight soiling on the back cover. VF. (75.00)

THE DELUXE LIMITED EDITION. 612 lots of superb patterns, many with excellent provenances. This sale is particularly scarce in the deluxe format and quite sought after by pattern collectors. The format is identical to the deluxe 1975 A.N.A. sale offered above.

237. Superior Stamp and Coin Co., Inc. The BUDDY DE SYLVA and WILLIAM RABUN Collections. February 6-8, 1978. 4to, black padded leatherette, gilt. 138 pp. 1992 lots. 72 halftone plates of which 13 are in color. The binding is weak, apparently as made, otherwise VF. (50.00)

THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. The sale features high quality U.S. gold and silver coinage. The color plates show many of the silver coins with beautiful toning.

238. Superior Galleries. CHARLES LEROY LOWMAN and A. HOUSTON BARRY Collections of Coins and Stamps. September 27-30, 1980. 4to, brown cloth, lettered in copper. 63 pp. 1608 lots. 2 color and 23 monochrome halftone plates. But for some lot numbers being circled in ink, VF. (35.00)

THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION. Also bound in is the stamp portion of the sale consisting of and additional 160 pages, 1763 lots, and with 2 color and 81 halftone plates.

A Significant Offering of Nineteenth Century American Auction Catalogues

A Rare Plated Copy of the Chapmans' DOHRMAN Sale.

239. Chapman, S.H. & H. [Sale 21] Collection of Minerals of A. DOHRMAN, Esq.. December 13-15, 1886. 8vo, later beige cloth, gilt. 55 pp. 1137 lots. 9 artotype plates. The original front cover is missing although the central part of the original cover has been mounted on a blank back cover from another Chapman catalogue. The contents are a trifle discolored at the periphery. Each of the plates has a crescent waterstain on the bottom corner of about 2 square inches. Otherwise the plates are clean and problem-free. (250.00)

Adams, C+. This is not a numismatic auction sale. Adams indicates that this sale was also issued with 10 plates. Quoting from the Preface, "This will be the first sale by auction of a really important private [mineral] collection in the country." and "We have published an edition of 100 copies of the catalogue with nine artotype plates, showing 73 specimens. It will be the first time such a catalogue has been thus illustrated." Also, "Whilst looking at the plates, we would advise the viewer to sit with his back to the light and allow it to fall on the plate." The quality later cloth binding has the look of an Alan Grace achievement. Although the Chapmans indicated that 100 plated copies were produced, we believe that many less than that number were distributed. This is much rarer than many other plated Chapman sales of which 100 copies were produced.

EDOUARD FROSSARD, born in Switzerland, came to the U.S. in 1858. His first achieved numismatic prominence as editor of Scott's Coin Journal in 1876. He began Numisma, his legendary periodical, in 1877 upon opening his own business. His famous work, Monograph of United States Cents and Half Cents Issued Between the Years 1793 and 1857, was released in 1879. Frossard, frequently involved in controversies, issued 175 auction catalogues from 1878 through 1901. Although his particular specialties were classical and European coinage, he conducted important sales in all numismatic areas.

240. Frossard, Ed. Twentieth-Sale. Catalogue of Coins and Medals. April 1, 1882. 33 pp. 647 lots. A PRICED COPY. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The front cover is chipped. Several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B. A rare Washington token. Well-described 1796 15 " half, EF 1802 half dollar. Many multiple talers. Good obsidional coinage. A scarcer sale.

241. Frossard, Ed. Twenty-Eighth Sale. C.R. PALMER. Catalogue of American and Foreign Coins and Medals. February 24, 1883. 22 pp. 567 lots. A PRICED COPY. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The front cover is chipped. Several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. The contents are clean and Fine. (12.00)

Adams, B-. Good numismatic literature with an interleaved 1876 Attinelli, a plated Seavey catalogue, and important periodicals and auction catalogues. 18th and 19th century English unc silver coinage.

242. Frossard, Ed. Thirty-Sixth Sale: Catalogue of the Collection of American and Foreign Coins and Medals of E.F. HOWARD, Esq. May 15-16, 1884. 61 pp. 1154 lots. Bound in later red cloth, gilt. The original covers are bound inside. Other than some insignificant soiling on the original paper covers, VF. (50.00)

Adams, B. ONE OF 25 THICK PAPER COPIES ISSUED AFTER THE SALE. The U.S. coins included an 1852-0 half; an unc thick planchet, lettered edge Kentucky cent; an unc 1776 Continental currency dollar; 25 attributed NJ cents; an unc 1794 "scarred head" cent; an 1836 proof Gobrecht "name on base" dollar; an unc 1815 half; a "gem" BU 1794 half dime; an unc 1793 wreath cent; unc thick and thin planchet 1795 cents; and 1800 half cent - "I have never seen a better half-cent of this date"; 1836, 1848, and 1852 proof half cents. Most of the early part of the sale is foreign coinage with some rare

British hammered and milled. There are 100 lots of quality ancient Greek and Roman coinage. The recent cloth binding is particularly fine; the original catalogue is exceptionally clean.

243. Frossard, Ed. [Forty-First Sale: CHARLES PODHORSKI] Collection of Coins, Medals, Bric-A-Brac. March 24-25, 1885. 49 pp. 967 lots. A PRICED COPY. Professionally trimmed. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The front cover is chipped. Several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C. Foreign silver and copper coins and medals. Podhorski's name does not appear in Gengerke or in Adams, but is indicated in NUMISMA. A 1798 cent - "finest I have seen". Good late date large cents. Masonic and war medals. In the non-numismatic section, an Albanian yatagan with a chased silver scabbard "very much admired by connoisseurs of fine work sold for \$40.50." (NUMISMA, May 1885, p. [6])

244. Frossard, Ed. Sixty-Fourth Sale. U.S. Fractional Notes of E.B. STERLING. February 9, 1887. Yellow gold CaC. 25 pp. 551 lots. A PRICED COPY. Professionally trimmed. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The front cover is soiled. The back cover is missing. Several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Adams, B. ONE OF 25 THICK PAPER COPIES ISSUED AFTER THE SALE. While Sterling was primarily known as a prominent philatelic dealer, he also was a distributor of numismatic catalogues and regularly attended the New York numismatic auctions as a bidders' representative. A complete collection of U.S. dollars, comprising all the great rarities, in extraordinarily fine condition which was offered in this sale.

Featured were 50 lots Canadian coins and tokens, important [175 lots] Colonial and Continental currency "the most complete collection offered in many years", exceptional fractional currency, and nearly complete dollars with important proofs: 1838 ex-Maris, 1851, 1852, and 1858.

245. Frossard, Ed. Sixty-Fifth Sale. National, Agricultural, War, and Medical Medal, Medieval and Modern Coins, U.S. Half Dollars, Quarters, Etc. February 19, 1887. Gray CaC. 27 pp. 562 lots. A PRICED COPY. Professionally trimmed. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The front cover is soiled. The back cover is missing. Several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Adams, C+. ONE OF 25 THICK PAPER COPIES ISSUED AFTER THE SALE. "Collectors who want only sharply struck, uncirculated, and perfect U.S. silver coins, will find among the incomplete series of Half and Quarter dollars herewith offered, many beautiful cabinet specimens ...": 1794 half "one of the best ever offered", choice bust halves from 1807 to 1836, proof and choice seated halves and quarters. Two hundred lots of medals.

A Rare Plated Copy of the EDWARDS - HAWLEY Sale

246. Frossard, Ed. Sixty-Ninth Sale: A Russian Collection, Part III. WILLIAM B. EDWARDS and JUSTUS B. HAWLEY. May 24-25, 1887. 52 pp. 981 lots. 3 HELIOTYPE PLATES. Bound in later red cloth, gilt. The original covers are bound inside. The original covers are bound inside. The covers are soiled, chipped, and stained. The top third of the plates are waterstained. The contents are clean and Fine. (100.00)

Adams, B+. ONE OF 50 THICK PAPER COPIES ISSUED WITH THE 3 PLATES. 100 lots of papal medals. 600 lots of ancient Greece and Rome. Willow tree shilling (probable Crosby plate coin). 1841 proof large cent, ex-Mickley. A Confederate "half dime" with good explanatory text. A few quality Franco-American jetons. Holland/America Peace medals. Hawley's good ancients, many ex-Schiffelin and Anthon.

"This sale received more attention than either of the preceding [sales 67 and 68]", probably on account of the beauty and rarity of many of the Roman bronze coins, and, while prices still ruled moderately low, it seemed at times as if the former enthusiasm of collectors was reviving." (NUMISMA, January 1888, p. 7). The recent cloth binding is particularly fine. This is rare with the plates.

247. Frossard, Ed. Seventieth Sale: Ancient and Modern American and Foreign Copper and Silver Coins. June 10, 1887. 25 pp. 503 lots. A PRICED COPY. Professionally trimmed. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The front cover is soiled. The back cover is missing. Several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. Vertical trisecting fold. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Adams, C+. ONE OF 25 THICK PAPER PRICED COPIES ISSUED AFTER THE SALE. Unc 1797 dime. 22 attributed 1794 large cent varieties. 1789 Mott token "finest I have seen". Unc "Advance New Zealand" token.

"This was the best collection of large and rare Foreign copper coins ever offered in New York, but to judge from results, the interest in this branch of numismatics has greatly abated, if not died out, [the] prices realized being only nominal." (NUMISMA, January 1888, p. 7)

248. Frossard, Ed. [Seventy-Fifth Sale. GEORGE WILLIAMSON and J.W. MARCH] Ancient, American and Foreign Coins, Miniature Paintings, Gems, Curios, Antiquities, Etc. December 16-17, 1887. 46 pp. 893 lots. Taped at the backstrip. A small piece of the top corner of each of the pages has been chipped away. The covers are heavily chipped. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C+. ONE OF 25 THICK PAPER PRICED COPIES ISSUED AFTER THE SALE. Ancients. 21 1795 attributed halves. Some 1794 large cent varieties. 4 piece 1883 Hawaiian unc silver set. Some rare Canadian tokens. Thomas Jefferson's tea caddy "of questionable authenticity" sold for \$55.00.

249. Frossard, Ed. Eighty-Ninth Sale. The GERALD E. HART Historical Collection of Coins and Medals. December 26-28, 1889. 114 pp. 1672 lots. Taped at the backstrip. The covers are heavily worn and chipped. Untrimmed and unopened. The contents are clean and Fine. (35.00)

Adams, A+ with 4 "A" ratings for comments, ancients, British, and Canada. The catalogue begins with a two page introduction about the HART collection written by Frossard. The highlights include an "unique" 1786 Connecticut copper struck on a double-thick planchet. Good English hammered coinage, 8 pieces of Scottish including a James VI "Sword dollar", excellent English hammered and milled gold. The "excessively rare" 1720 colonial 24 livres, ex-Frossard 1884. 250 lots of superb ancient Greek and Roman: a Euainetos dekadrachm, 95 lots of important Judaeon coinage. Excellent and well-catalogued early historical medals of America with excellent early Canadian medals. The 616 lots of mostly attributed important Canadian coins, tokens, and medals cover 40 pages. These are meticulously catalogued and feature much important historical and numismatic text.

"the most extensive and complete collection of the coins, medals, and tokens of Canada ever offered at auction." (NUMISMA, January 1890, p. 7) This is a most important, elusive and eagerly sought catalogue. The few copies which turn up tend to show a great deal of wear because they tended to be regularly used for reference and research.

250. Frossard, Ed. Sale 114. Catalogue of a Collection of Ancient Coins ... United States Cents. November 4, 1892. 28 pp. 504 lots. A PRICED COPY. The heavily chipped covers are detached. Some dampstaining is evident. The contents are otherwise clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. 1846 (including gold) and 1858 proof sets. 100 lots of ancient coins with good Greek silver. 105 lots of large cents and another group with an "excellent impression" 1804, unc 1824, and some nice middle dates. 90 lots of good store cards. This catalogue was produced from low quality paper and covers which were extremely brittle. A scarcer sale.

251. Frossard, Ed. Sale 123. Collection of U.S. and Colonial Coins. March 22, 1894. 33 pp. 570 lots. The overlapping edges of the oversized red covers are chipped. The title page is torn horizontally. Otherwise the contents are Fine. (10.00)

Adams, B+. Excellent Canadian: Louis XIV Peace medal, Franco-American tokens, 1838 "side view" penny and halfpenny tokens, rare bridge tokens. 50 lots of large cents: 21 1794 varieties, unc 1796 liberty cap. Lord Baltimore shilling, sixpence, and groat. Much foreign coinage.

252. Frossard, Ed. Sale 124. Collection of Ancient and Modern Gold Coins ... Medical and Masonic Medals. May 10, 1894. 29 pp. 565 lots. A PRICED COPY. The contents are loose from the covers. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Mintmarked U.S. gold. Some private and territorial gold.

253. Frossard, Ed. Sale 136: E.B. CRANE. Catalogue of the Collection of U.S. Coins, Paper Money. January 24, 1896. 25 pp. 530 lots. A PRICED COPY. Professionally trimmed. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The back cover is missing. Several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. The contents are clean and Fine. (35.00)

Adams, B. ONE OF 30 THICK PAPER COPIES. Fractional, Confederate, and colonial currency. Rare English gold. Massachusetts 1710 20 shilling note, folded else perfect. Rare.

254. Frossard, Ed. Sale 135: [CHRISTIAN G. MORITZ]. Catalogue of a Collection of the Copper Coins of the World. November 29, 1895. 34 pp. 578 lots. Trimmed. The front cover is chipped and heavily folded. Check marks in the margin, otherwise the contents are Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Copper coins of the world, the Canadian is attributed with Breton numbers.

255. Frossard, Ed. Sale 138: FRED W. PORTER, DR. EDWIN J. GRANER, and GARDINER PIKE. May 7-8, 1896. 56 pp. 1282 lots. Professionally trimmed. Removed from a previously bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. Both covers are missing. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B. Washingtonia: unc silver Manly medal. Graner specialized in "0" mint coins. Fractional currency, with specimens.

256. Frossard, Ed. Sale 139: E.B. CRANE. Catalogue of United States Coins. May 29, 1896. 23 pp. 581 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. A few prices in the margin. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. 1792 SILVER CENTER CENT. 1873 \$3.00. Extensive seated coinage. 1798/97 dime. 1892 & 1893 South African coinage. Unc 1800 half cent.

The remaining Frossard sales were each professionally trimmed, and removed from a previously bound volume. All are taped at the backstrip. All of the covers are missing. In each catalogue several of the interior leaves are loose from having been closely trimmed at the backstrip in its previous binding. The contents for each are extremely clean and Fine or better.

257. Frossard, Ed. Sale 147: MRS. L. DENNISON. June 29, 1897. 36 pp. 580 lots. (10.00)

Adams, B. Dekadrachm, 1794 dollar, 1797 half, unc 1796 and 1853 no arrows quarter. 1872 proof gold \$1.00-\$5.00. George III Indian Peace medal. Also Indian Peace medals: Madison, Taylor, Fillmore. Spanish Philip IV 1625 quintuple crown. Nice offerings.

258. Frossard, Ed. Sale 149: MRS M.L. HARNETT and DR. HENRY E. TURNER. October 26, 1897. 25 pp. 468 lots. (10.00)

Adams, C+. 125 passable large cents. Oak tree twopence. A group of George Washington's Revolutionary War letters.

259. Frossard, Ed. Sale 154: **Catalogue of Several Collections**. April 19, 1898. 30 pp. 494 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, B-. 80 lots of large cents with 20 attributed 1794s. Attributed Canadian tokens and medals. Many foreign coins and medals.
260. Frossard, Ed. Sale 155: **The E.B. STURGES Collection, Part I**. May 10, 1898. 29 pp. 651 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, C+. Unc 1795 cent. 1820 North West token. Nearly complete proof sets from 1859 to 1890. Numismatic literature includes the first five volumes of Van Loon.
261. Frossard, Ed. Sale 156: **The E.B. STURGES Collection, Part II**. June 14, 1898. 31 pp. 612 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, B-. One lot of 62 attributed Hard Times tokens. Much mintmarked seated silver coinage. One lot of 117 Frossard catalogues.
262. Frossard, Ed. Sale 157: **The F.P. BRADISH Collection**. September 20, 1898. 25 pp. 601 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, B-. 1851 & 1858 proof dollars. An "Excellent" 1796 15" half dollar. 1792 half disme. A complete set of gold dollars. 2 unc 1795 cents.
263. Frossard, Ed. Sale 161: **The MARTIN FRANK Collection, Part I**. June 27, 1899. 29 pp. 453 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, C+. Unc 1876-CC and 1876-S half dollars. 200 lots of Germanic silver coinage. Much foreign silver.
264. Frossard, Ed. Sale 163: **Collection of United States and Foreign Silver and Copper Coins ... Also an Invoice from Hon. FERGUSON HAINES**. November 22, 1899. 25 pp. 603 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, C+. 1860 to 1898 proof dimes divided among 3 lots. 1861 to 1895 proof quarters in divided among several lots. 36 lots of choice and rare fractional currency. 41 lots of attributed New Jersey coppers. 1 and 1/8 unit Hudson Bay tokens.
265. Frossard, Ed. Sale 164: **Catalogue of United States Copper, Silver, and Gold and Foreign Silver and Copper Coins** February 9, 1900. 28 pp. 503 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, B-. Over 100 lots of early Chinese coins, medals, and charms. Good fractional currency. Some excellent ancients.
266. Frossard, Ed. Sale 165: **Collection of United States, Canadian and Foreign Silver and Copper Coins.... The Property of a Retired Canadian Dealer**. April 27, 1900. 26 pp. 540 lots. (10.00)
 Adams, C+. 1797 15" half dollar. Some good fractional currency. many attributed Canadian tokens in bulk lots. also some good Canadian medals with an 1825 Canadian Powell Marriage medal.
267. Frossard, Ed. Sale 166: **S.J. WILLARD. Collection of United States, Canadian and Foreign Silver and Copper Coins....** June 9, 1900. 33 pp. 639 lots. A PRICED COPY. (20.00)
 Adams, C+. Some good U.S. medals. 11 lots of encased postage. 1798 over 1797 \$10.00. 15 attributed 1794 cents. 1798 over 1797 dime.
268. Frossard, Ed. Sale 167: **DR. N.L. MC DONALD. Collection of United States, Canadian and Foreign and Ancient Coins and Medals**. October 22, 1900. 32 pp. 546 lots. A PRICED COPY. (20.00)
 Adams, C+. 1808 Washington Benevolent Society medal, Washington "Norwalk-Washington" medal, only 20 struck in silver. 1 lot of 92 foreign pattern coins; unfortunately only a few are identified and then only by country. NJ 1796 cent, Maris 15-U, "I am the owner of the only specimen of this combination I have yet seen," according to Maris. Some good fractional currency. Some good numismatic literature.
269. Frossard, Ed. Sale 168: **J.G. HUBBARD**. December 10-11, 1900. 55 pp. 1211 lots. A PRICED COPY. (20.00)
 Adams, B+. 1876-CC 20 cent. Impressive private gold: Mormon \$2.50 and \$5.00, N.G. & N. \$5.00, 1852 Moffatt & Co. \$10.00, unc Miner's Bank \$10.00 "unquestionably the finest specimen ... ever offered", 1861 Clark, Gruber & Co. \$20.00 "First ever offered at auction". Foreign silver and copper.
270. Frossard, Ed. Sale 172: **[RICHARD WEBSTER, Esq.] Catalogue of United States and Foreign Copper and Silver Coin**. June 11, 1901. 30 pp. 646 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers are present. The back cover is stained. (15.00)
 Adams, C. 30 lots of choice and rare fractional currency. Most of the sale consisted of miscellaneous, modest coinage of all types. Frossard's final sale, number 175, was conducted five months later in November 1901.

An Large and Important Offering of HASELTINE Auction Catalogues

JOHN W. HASELTINE (1838-1924) was an expert in colonial and Continental currency, and Confederate currency (publishing descriptive lists for each of the aforementioned series), early silver coinage, and mint patterns. His numismatic contributions were manifold: uncovering the Nova Constellatio 1000 and 500 mill pieces, and the New Jersey Washington cent, discovering the 1861 Confederate cent dies, authoring the venerable Haseltine Type Table, and in 1883 conducting both the classic Harold Newlin sale and the legendary sale of Sylvester Crosby's colonials. He conducted 85 auctions between April 1870 and January 1885. In the May 1885 NUMISMA Ed. Frossard announced "the sudden suspension" of Haseltine's business. (p. 6) Haseltine had relocated to New York to manage his brother's art gallery until his return to Philadelphia and the coin business in 1897. (THE NUMISMATIST, October/November 1908, p. 349) Haseltine did conduct two other sales: June 1887 and June 1898. E.J. Attinelli said of Haseltine that he "seldom, if ever, overrates and more frequently underrates the quality of the pieces he describes, and still more frequently

makes no mention of their quality or rarity...." (p. 54) The respect that his colleagues had for Haseltine was indicated by his being elected to an honorary membership at the 1908 A.N.A. convention in Philadelphia.

General Comments about Condition. Adams commented that because of the poor quality of the paper in which the Haseltine catalogues were issued that their "continuing survival becomes an issue"; the low quality of the paper cannot be overemphasized. Again, for these catalogues one can assume that the covers will be slightly soiled with moderate chipping at the backstrip; noteworthy differences in catalogue condition will be indicated. Generally, these are in excellent condition for Haseltine sales. Because of a difference between Gengerke and Adams in the numbering of the Haseltine sales, we will use Gengerke's numbering since Gengerke lists the sales in chronological order.

271. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 1: WILLIAM IDLER]. Catalogue of A Private Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals Including a Choice Variety of very Rare and Valuable United States Pattern Pieces. April 12, 1870. 4to, Paper Covers. 16 pp. 336 lots. The covers are faded and chipped at the edges. The contents are VG. (20.00)

Adams, B with an "A" rating for patterns. Adams/Attinelli, R-7. This was one of the earliest large format numismatic auction catalogues in the U.S. Idler was Haseltine's father-in-law. Silver dollars: unc 1802/1801, 2 1851s unc and proof. Generally unc bust halves from 1806 to 1834. Nice early 19th century silver coinage in all series. 82 lots of patterns, 13 of which Haseltine indicated were offered for the first time at public sale. Good uncirculated early gold \$5.00s: 1800, 1803/1802, 1804, 1807 "classic head", 1808, 1811, 1813. Also offered were an unc 1804 \$10.00, a 1795 "Jefferson head" cent. The "rare" patterns offered in this early sale were indicative of the irregular practices of the Mint and its cozy relationship with various collectors and dealers, Haseltine prominent among them. Despite Adams' rating this an R-7 catalogue (4 to 12 known), we have found this sale to notably more common and would perhaps consider it to be even an R-5.

272. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 2] Private Collection of Colonial & Continental Paper Money Formed by WILLIAM IDLER of Philadelphia. December 21, 1870. 20 pp. 405 lots. (25.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" rating for Colonial paper money. Adams/Attinelli, R-7. 163 lots of superb Colonial currency. 50 lots of good large cents. Quite scarce. This is also a really nice copy for an early Haseltine.

273. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 5: C.N. BODEY] Coin Sale Catalogue. October 29-30, 1872. 29 pp. 610 lots. (25.00)

Adams, B-. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 1851, 1852 & 1858 proof dollars. Good bust halves with 1796 & 1797. Fair large cents. Good half cents with 8 proofs including an 1831, 1840 & 1848. 1792 silver center cent. 1792 Washington half dollar in silver. A really nice copy of a scarce sale.

274. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 6] Catalogue of a Choice and Valuable Collection. December 18, 1872. 20 pp. 346 lots. (25.00)

Unlisted in Adams, but John did list this with his Haseltine lots in Adams/Attinelli where it was listed as an R-6. Of great importance: 1783 Nova Constellatio 1000 and 500 mil pieces with important text and a quoted letter from Rathmel Wilson attesting to their provenance, genuineness and history. Mostly ancients, BUT important colonials: Myddleton token in silver, rare Vermont variety, 2 Higley coppers. A most important sale in superior condition.

275. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 7] Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of Greek and Roman Coins. Also Silver and Copper Coins, Medals, Pattern Pieces, Etc. February 11, 1873. 13 pp. 349 lots. The covers have ragged edges. The contents are clean and Fine. (12.00)

Adams, C. Adams/Attinelli, R-7. The first 150 lots are ancients. 1823 large cent in silver ("two struck") with good late date large cents. Also an unc 1723 Wood's Hibernia penny and an unc 1767 Louisiana "Colonies Francaises; R.F." cent.

276. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 8: S.W. CHUBBUCK] Catalogue of a Very Large and Valuable Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. February 25-28, 1873. 127 pp. 2896 lots. Covers heavily chipped. The covers are heavily chipped and worn. Overall the contents are Fine. (35.00)

Adams, A with "A" ratings for medals and Washingtonia. Adams/Attinelli, R-5. The first 925 lots are priced. 180 lots of storecards. The nice Asian coinage, priced, is rarely found in early American sales. Mintmarked silver indicated. Good proof dollars: 1838, 1839, 1851, 1852, and 1854. A good unc date run of bust halves. Excellent early quarters: 1804, 1823, 1827. 100 lots of colonials: NE shilling, 1694 Carolina "elephant", and a p/1 unc Kentucky cent. 120 lots of European silver medals. The U.S. medals include a Libertas Americana, a silver 1837 Martin Van Buren Indian Peace medal, the silver 1826 Erie Canal medal. Extensive European coinage. 133 lots of large cents: 11 1793s, 19 1794 w/Paris nos., 1832 proof ex-Mickley and Mackenzie. An 1840 and 1852 proof half cent. Good Washingtonia: a funeral medal in gold and a "summer" Season medal. 103 lots of Canadian coins, tokens, and medals - many attributed.

277. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 9: ALEXANDER BALMANNO of Brooklyn, N.Y.] Catalogue of a Valuable and Interesting Collection of Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. April 9, 1873. 24 pp. 572 lots. Unopened. (15.00)

Adams, C. Adams/Attinelli, R-5. George Clinton copper "dollar" - the first offered since the 1864 McCoy sale. Some nice English coinage. 60 lots of fair large cents with good late dates. A gilt Libertas Americana medal. A few good pieces of Washingtonia: Eccleston, Manly, and Sansom medals, and a "Washington before Boston" medal.

278. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 11] Catalogue of United States and Foreign Gold, Silver & Copper Coins January 13-15, 1874. 48 pp. 1146 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. A PRICED COPY. The chipped covers are separated but present. The contents are clean and nearly Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" rating for Confederate money. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. Nice half dollars. 17th century English half penny and farthing tokens, "The following tokens are rare and remarkable for their good state of preservation, and are not often offered at auction". 1827 proof quarter. Gobrecht dollar. John Quincy Adams Indian Peace medal in white metal, ex-Mickley. Silver 1826 Erie Canal medal. 1857 proof set with both coppers. 107 lots of quality large cents with

attributed 1794 varieties. Includes the story of the discovery of the Confederate cents. Excellent half cents: many proofs, super 1796, Fine 1802. Good Washingtonia. Good States colonials.

279. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 12: JOHN CAMPBELL, (Deceased)] Executors' Sale of Gold, Silver, and Copper United States and Foreign Coins, Medals, and Tokens. February 17-19, 1874. 39 pp. 1139 lots. But for a vertical bisecting fold, VF. (15.00)

Adams, C. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. Ex-Durst 5, lot 165. Decent run of half dollars with choice mintmarked issues. American medals and politicals. 112 lots of modest large cents. Low grade colonials and half cents. Some Washingtonia. This catalogue is in extraordinary condition for a Haseltine sale.

280. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 13] FRANCIS T. HAGEDORN. June 17, 1874. 15 pp. 287 lots. But for a small wormholed through the center of the catalogue, the covers are Fine and the contents VF. (10.00)

Adams, C-. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 1797 half dollar. 2 1804 quarters. 2 chairs from Mt. Vernon owned and used by George Washington. Quite a scarce sale.

281. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 14: "A Widow Lady from Boston" and HENRY AHLBORN] Catalogue of a Valuable and Interesting Collection of United States and Foreign Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. January 25-28, 1875. 78 pp. 2022 lots. Untrimmed. Vertical bisecting fold. The covers and the contents are disbound. Oddly another title page is bound in at the end. A PRICED COPY. With rebinding a Fine copy. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. Adams, 150 lots of store cards with some rarities. 1797 half dollar "better than has been offered lately". Good condition mintmarked seated halves. Some choice Hard Times tokens. 200 lots of political medals and tokens. Unc 1795 half dime. 85 lots of large cents fair large cents. Important priced.

282. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 18] Coin Sale. December 6-9, 1875. 76 pp. 1952 lots. Back cover missing. PARTIALLY PRICED. Good. Nearly disbound. With trimming and rebinding, a Fine copy. (15.00)

Adams, B+. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. Bound in is a one page list of 36 different Centennial medals for sale by Haseltine. The U.S coins, medals, and patterns are priced. "One of the first U.S. gold collections. Strong in political tokens and storecards." Nice large cents. Important priced.

283. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 19] Sale of Curiosities. December 22, 1875. 16 pp. 369 lots. Formerly in a bound volume. Still the covers are nice and the contents are clean and better than Fine. (12.00)

Adams, C. Adams/Attinelli, R-7 (the last sale listed). Confederate paper money and bonds, colonial paper money with 2 Delaware notes printed by Franklin. Mostly non-numismatic. Very scarce.

284. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 20] 1776 Centennial Coin & Curiosity Sale, Part I. March 30, 1876. 27 pp. 530 lots. A PRICED COPY. Professionally trimmed. (20.00)

Adams, B with an "A" rating for patterns. An 1804 dollar, which brought \$395.00, "as fine as the one sold in the Sanford sale and a great deal finer than the one in the Cohen sale", Gobrecht dollar. 1796 and 1797 halves. Good patterns: a set of 4 1869 dimes "have never been offered before at auction", 1871 Commercial dollar by Longacre (1 of 3) "never before offered at auction" in copper and an 1871 Commercial dollar (1 of 10) in silver, an 1873 trade dollar pattern different from any of the set of 6 1873 proof trade dollar patterns, 3 1873 pattern half eagles in gold (2 struck), copper (2 struck), and aluminum (5 struck). Decent Washingtonia: 2 unc 1791 cents, large and small eagle; "Geo. Washington born, Virginia". Nice English copper coinage with a 1714 Queen Anne farthing brought \$2.25. A really nice copy.

285. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 21] 1776 Centennial Coin & Curiosity Sale, Part II. April 24, 1876. 24 pp. 585 lots. A PRICED COPY. But for peripheral discoloration on the front cover, nearly VF. (20.00)

Adams, C+. 200 lots of English hammered and milled. 9 lots of scarce Scottish. Good dimes and half dimes. Good colonials with 2 unc Pine Tree shillings. This is in excellent condition for a Haseltine sale.

286. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 22] 1776 Centennial Coin & Curiosity Sale, Part III. May 16, 1876. 19 pp.

498 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are faded with a stain on the back cover. The sewn binding is weak. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C+. The lots which Haseltine apparently purchased are noted by an "H". 107 lots of large cents. 1836, 1839, & 1858 proof dollars. 1796 half dollar. Some good Washingtonia. Good post 1828 half cents with 6 proofs.

287. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 23] 1776 Centennial Coin & Curiosity Sale, Part IV: FRANCIS LEPERE. July 17-18, 1876. 47 pp. 1163 lots. A PRICED COPY. Four holed at the margins for a binder. The covers are chipped and soiled. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C+. 240 lots of store cards. 2 1838 proof dollars. 1796 & 1797 halves. English hammered and milled coinage. 1858 proof set. 4 proof half cents.

288. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 24] 1776 Centennial Coin & Curiosity Sale, Part V: E.M. SELLON, F.N. BEEBE, S.L. APPLETON. September 6-8, 1876. 62 pp. 1373 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical bisecting fold. A stain on the back cover. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Adams, B [although in the individual categories section Adams rated it B-]. 130 lots of good patterns with a set of 16 1868 patterns in aluminum, 1871 and 1872 Commercial dollars both in silver and copper. 107 lots of colonials with good States issues: unc Pine Tree shilling, threepence, and twopence; a Lord Baltimore shilling; a Standish Barry threepence; an unc set of the 3 denominations of 1723 Rosa America coinage; an unc 1787 Mass. cent. 100 lots of good large cents: AU and VF 1793s, 1795 unc thin planchet cent, 1799 "very rarely found as good". Scarce store cards. Washingtonia: unc 1791 large eagle cent, "Born, Virginia, Feb. 11, 1732". Good proof half cents: 1833, 1836, 1842, 1843, 1847, 1848, 1852, 1856. An 1804 dime. Nice English copper and silver coinage. Most useful priced.

289. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 25] 1776 Centennial Coin & Curiosity Sale, Part VI. September 19-21, 1876. 56 pp. 1446 lots. A PARTIALLY PRICED COPY. The oversized covers are chipped at the edges. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. The third day's lots are priced. 1796 & 1797 halves, 2 Holland America Peace Medals. English milled coinage. Washingtonia. 60 lots of large cents with an "unusually good" 1799 cent. 105 lots of colonial currency with South Carolina 50 pound note signed by Middleton.

290. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 26] 1776 Centennial Coin & Curiosity Sale, Part VII: B. DA SILVA. November 6-8, 1876. 62 pp. 1310 lots. The catalogue has been neatly trimmed. One bookwormhole in the center of the catalogue. The front cover is faded. Otherwise the catalogue is Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Masonic medals. Jackson and Madison silver Indian peace medals. Some Washingtonia. Much European coinage.

291. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 27] Catalogue of Several Invoices of Coins, Medals, Politicals, Store Cards, Colonials, [etc.] February 12-15, 1877. 79 pp. 1915 lots. A PRICED COPY. The front cover is slightly soiled. The top margins of the first half of the catalogue are slightly dampstained, not affecting the contents. The contents are otherwise clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. Fair large cents with 4 1799s. Nice Continental and colonial currency. Extensive storecards. Interesting patterns with an 1827 quarter in copper, an 1836 Gobrecht dollar in copper, two 1838 pattern halves. Colonials. 200 lots of politicals. Washingtonia included thick and thin planchet Voltaire medals. Struck copies from Bolen's dies.

292. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 28: J. COLVIN RANDALL] Catalogue of a Fine Collection of Coins and Medals. May 21-22, 1877. 48 pp. 1057 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. Neatly trimmed. Closely trimmed at the top and bottom margin. Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Good large cents: AU 1793 wreath, unc 1794, unc 1828, unc 1829 "Without exception the finest I have ever seen", and excellent late dates. 1843 and 1848 proof half cents. 130 lots of politicals from Jackson to Lincoln. Nice bust dollars. Good bust halves: one lot of 15 1795 halves "all different varieties" sold for 75 cents each, 1796, 1797. 1823 quarter. 70 lots of American medals with the rare Lincoln "Salvator Patriae" medal by Siegel, Washington Irving medal by Henning. Good Washingtonia: 1792 half dollar in copper; rare medals. 1802 half dime, ex-Mickley. 1737 Higley copper "the finest known of this variety". Vermontis Res Publica "one of the best I have seen". Uncirculated colonials: 1773 Virginia half penny, 1787 Mass. half cent, Kentucky thin and thick planchet cents; 1786 and 1787 NJ cents. The 1658 Cromwell proof shilling, half crown and crown brought \$39.00. Also "2 pieces of Washington's Coffin, and a piece of his Shroud" brought \$10.25.

293. Haseltine, John W. Sale 29: Catalogue of a Fine Collection of Coins and Medals. June 11-13, 1877. 64 pp. 1479 lots. Unopened. Other than some chipping on the back cover, nearly VF. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Nearly 200 lots of large cents. Some good colonials. Colonial and Continental currency. Extraordinary condition for a Haseltine sale.

294. Haseltine, John W. Sale 32. Catalogue of Several Invoices of Coins and Medals February 25-27, 1878. 63 pp. 1537 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are chipped at the edges. There is slight evidence of having been damp. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. Highlights include the Canadian 1670 "Gloriam regni", 40 lots of Connecticut coppers, and 14 lots of NJ cents. 140 lots of large cents: 7 1793s, 7 lots of attributed 1794s, quality post-1830 cents. 44 lots of half cents with 1841, 1843, and 1848 original proofs. Some numismatic literature.

295. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 34] Catalogue of a Collection of Coins and Medals October 30-31, 1878. 39 pp. 979 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical bisecting fold. The top margins are slightly dampstained, not affecting the text. The contents are otherwise Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. An 1865 2c error pattern on a combined silver/copper planchet. Some Washingtonia. A few Masonic medals. A nice group of Connecticut cents attributed by Crosby's cataloguing numbers. 104 lots of ancient Greek and Roman coins. 123 lots of large cents, mostly uncirculated after 1841. Fair half cents with many uncs after 1826.

296. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 35] Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of United States Coins and Medals January 15-17, 1879. 69 pp. 1534 lots. Trimmed. But for some slight soiling on the covers, nearly VF. (20.00)

Adams, B. The first auction appearance of 1801, 1802, and 1803 proof dollars! One can see that Haseltine was becoming aware of varieties in the U.S. silver coinage as various bust half dollar varieties are described. The publication of his Type Table Catalogue was only two years in the away. Also included in this sale are numerous centennials, store cards, masonic and other medals, curiosities, china and glassware. Good Washingtonia. Nice Connecticut cents attributed by Crosby numbers. 127 lots of quality large cents. 53 lots of half cents with proofs: 1828 (?), 1840, 1841, and 1845 originals. A really nice copy of an impressive sale.

297. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 37: LYMAN WILDER] Catalogue of a Very Interesting Collection of United States and Foreign Coins and Medals. May 21-24, 1879. 60 pp. 2163 lots. A PRICED COPY. Some cover soiling. The contents are VF. (25.00)

Adams, A- with "A" ratings for early silver and colonials. Nice Washingtonia. Good dollars, especially the 56 lots of bust dollars: 1794, 1838, 1839, 1851, 1852. Excellent halves with 110 lots of bust halves: 3 1794s, 10 1795s, 1796 15", 1797, 1802, unc 1815. Long run of good quarters. Excellent early dimes and half dimes. Rarities abound in 400 lots of superior quality colonials: strong States coinage with 120 attributed Connecticut cents, 31 Vermonts. 230 lots of most impressive large cents with 13 1793s, several attributed 1794s. The more meticulous attributions of the nineteenth century silver coinage in this sale are one more step toward the Type Table Catalogue. This is a strong cabinet with the catalogue in especially nice condition. Especially useful priced.

"This catalogue ought to be in the hands of every collector". (Ed. Frossard, NUMISMA, July 1879, p. [6])

298. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 38] Catalogue of a Private Collection. July 29-30, 1879. 29 pp. 1000 lots. A few lots are priced. The covers show some soiling with a slight split at the bottom of the backstrip. The contents are clean and VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Good half cents: 1831 and 1836 ("the only one I ever saw") restrikes, 5 original proofs. Good colonials with rarities, many Connecticut copper varieties. A good run of 115 large cents. Most seated coinage in proof. Nice run of dollars. It would seem that Mr. Adams graded this sale most conservatively.

299. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 39] Catalogue of an Interesting Collection. October 22-23, 1879. 32 pp. 1022 lots. A PRICED COPY. A slight split at the bottom of the backstrip. Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C+. The sale includes an 1802 half dime. Some interesting Washingtonia with a 1792 copper half dollar and a bronze Voltaire medal. "Many nice varieties of United States dollars, half dollars, and cents". 112 lots of large cents with 9 attributed 1793s and 13 attributed 1794s. Rare and scarce storecards. Many attributed States colonial varieties: 9 Massachusetts cents, 12 Vermonts, 44 Connecticut coppers, and 18 NJ cents. If one gives Augustus Heaton the credit for the growth of collecting American coins by mintmark, then Haseltine must be given credit for the growth of collecting American coins by variety.

300. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 40] Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of United States Coins and Medals. November 28-29, 1879. 35 pp. 1031 lots. Trimmed. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Variety numbers are indicated for dollars, halves, and quarters. Haseltine noted that in 1880 a work on varieties compiled by Haseltine and J.C. Randall (H & R) would be issued. For the bust half nuts: 75 lots of varieties are indicated from 1794 to 1858. 170 lots of well-described large cents: 8 attributed 1793s and 13 attributed 1794s.

301. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 41] Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of United States and Foreign Coins and Medals. December 27, 1879. 16 pp. 503 lots. Trimmed. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. 29 lots of American silver medals with an 1871 Assay medal. Attributed half dollars. 65 lots of coinage of the early Parthian kings of Delhi and India rulers.

302. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 42] Second Day's Sale of a Collection of Coins and Medals Part II. January 21, 1880. 15 pages (Pages 17 to 31). 521 lots (Lots 504 to 1024). Vertical trisecting fold. Covers Fine. Contents VF. (12.00)

Adams, C. With an apparent signature of H.G. Sampson on the cover. The first part of the sale (Sale 41) was held December 27, 1879. A good run of States colonials. 100 lots of large cents with 14 attributed 1794s. Haseltine noted that the although some thought that the BU Virginia half pennies were restrikes, they were the property of "the late Mr. Cohen, of Baltimore, and descended to him from his father."

303. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 43] Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of United States & Foreign Coins ... the Property of S.H. MORGAN of Pittsburgh, PA. January 28, 1880. 18 pages. 600 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical trisecting fold. Covers Fine. Contents nearly VF. (20.00)

Adams, C+. 75 lots of large cents. Some fractional currency. Attributed bust dollars and early bust halves. 36 lots of priced auction catalogues. Adams indicated in error, apparently a typo, that there are 270 lots of Washingtonia in this sale.

304. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 45] Catalogue of a Small but Interesting Collection of United States & Foreign Coins ... the Property of C.D. MONROE. May 10, 1880. 20 pages. 550 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers chipped at the edges and soiled. VG. (20.00)

Adams, C-. 1861 Confederate half dollar restrike. 1796 half cent. Some good large cents. Ancient Greek and Roman coinage.

305. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 47] The JOHN E. BURTON COLLECTION. August 9-10, 1880. 36 pp. 1196 lots. A PRICED COPY. The front cover is partially discolored. Split at the backstrip. The contents clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. 135 lots of modest quality large cents with 9 1793s, 2 1799s, 3 1804s. Another consignment of 83 better large cents with 8 1793s, several attributed 1794s, and 3 1799s. A 1796 half cent. A 1797 half dollar. 1851 and 1858 proof dollars. A silver plated copper Thomas Jefferson Indian Peace medal. Most useful priced.

306. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 48] The J.F.B. LITCHFIELD Collection. September 13, 1880. 20 pp. 586 lots. A PRICED COPY. Nearly VF. (20.00)

Adams, C. With the signature of G.B. Drowne on the cover. Colonials with one page of 46 attributed Connecticut coppers, a Chalmers shilling. 77 lots of good colonial currency. Numismatic literature: 1869 Maris; Crosby in 12 parts, left unbound. Curiosities include a specimen of lava from Mt. Vesuvius and a pine cone from Lebanon, pair of Black Hawk's moccasins. In excellent condition for a Haseltine catalogue.

307. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 49] Catalogue of the Numismatic Collection of D.T. MILLSPAUGH. November 22-23, 1880. 39 pp. 1204 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical trisecting fold. Nearly VF. (20.00)

Adams, C+. With the signature of G.B. Drowne on the cover. A good run of large cents with 2 1799s @ \$47 & \$30. An unc 1797 16 star half dime. Good half cents with a 1796 and a restrike 1831 proof. Ancient Greek and Roman coinage.

308. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 52] The HENRY AHLBORN Collection. June 16-17, 1881. 40 pp. 1230 lots. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. 1802 half dime, 1797 half, 1868 \$10.00 Paquet pattern. An excellent run of halves. Much important fractional currency with an 1861 \$100 Montgomery, and 1861 \$100 and \$50 Richmond Notes. 200 lots of Papal states coinage and medals. Curiosities: 6 starfish, a Confederate razor by Wade & Butcher with Robert E. Lee's portrait in bronze, a piece of the first Atlantic cable, a piece of the Charter Oak.

309. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 53] The D. BANKHEAD Numismatic Cabinet. June 29, 1881. 27 pp. 847 lots. Chipped at the backstrip, otherwise Nearly VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. British and British colonial copper coinage. French, English, Spanish and Spanish American silver. One 141 piece lot of Becker counterfeits. Auction catalogues. Of value to the collector of foreign coinage.

301. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 54] Coins and Curiosities. September 8, 1881. 18 pp. 531 lots. With errata strip correcting lot 27. Split at the top of the backstrip, otherwise clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C. Ex-Durst 9, lot 1365. Good nineteenth century silver minors. Nice Continental and colonial currency with Pennsylvania notes printed by Franklin and Hall. Also a meticulously described 1797 half. 43 lots of large cents with good middle and late dates and an 1857 small date proof. For the advanced collector, the printed errata slip is rare.

311. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 57] The THEODORE STAEBLEIN Collection. January 26-27, 1882. 48 pp. 1311 lots. The covers show some chipping. The contents are clean and VF. (15.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" for Washingtonia. Subtitled "One of the Largest and Finest Collections of Washington Coins and Medals that has been offered for years." 207 lots of Washingtonia: 2 Season medals, a Voltaire medal, Manly medal, the rare Independence medal by Wright, the so-called Perkins medal, an "unique" silver medal (unknown to Appleton). Several hundred lots of European silver coinage. An 1858 proof dollar brought \$48.50. 73 lots of fair large cents with 7 1793s. Some rare Confederate currency. While Adams noted that this sale contained "outstanding Connecticut varieties", none are present in this sale. We respectfully believe that he meant to indicate the Washingtonia. Armand Champa has noted that this is an especially elusive sale.

312. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Sixtieth Sale. Collection of Medals of MR. ISAAC F. WOOD, Part I. July 5-7, 1882. 62 pp. 2087 lots. The back cover is detached but present. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Adams, B [with an "A" for medals]. "Probably the Finest [Medals] Ever Offered at Auction" 110 lots of Washington medals. More than 400 lots of American political medals. "One of the finest collections [of Napoleonic medals] ever offered at public sale." Numerous attributed (Haseltine & Randall) early dollars and halves. A 1794 large cent variety apparently not in Maris or Frossard. 16 different varieties of BU 1773 Virginia halfpennies. An "Invoice from a Dealer" of 78 lots, many of them multiple lots, by date of large cents from 1793 onward (for example 137 "poor to good" 1803s and 7 "fair to good 1813s"). 97 lots of excellent, attributed, well-described Hard Times tokens.

313. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 62] Catalogue of Coins and Medals ... of H.W. LORD. November 6-8, 1882. 47 pp. 1750 lots. A PRICED COPY. The detached covers have been taped together. Neatly removed from a bound volume which has caused some of the pages to be unbound. Professionally trimmed. The contents are otherwise clean and virtually VF. (25.00)

Adams, B. 96 Hard Times tokens attributed according to Haseltine's TYPE TABLE, and according to the listings from Haseltine's 60th sale of the Wood collection, a copy of which is offered above. Excellent English silver pennies from many mints. Excellent numismatic literature including a Woodbury type plate, Lee's CURRENCY OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES with 10 photographic plates, an 1881 Andrews, and excellent early periodicals.

314. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Sixty-Fifth Sale. March 1-2, 1883. 26 pp. 963 lots. But for some chipping at the backstrip, and some cover soiling, the covers are Fine and the contents are VF. (15.00)

Adams, B-. One lot of a date set of 71 large cents (no 1799 or 1809) set with a BU 1804 restrike. 55 lots of attributed bust dollars and 23 lots of attributed halves. 18 lots of "Bungtowns". 50 lots of storecards with some rarities. 26 lots of attributed Hard Times tokens.

A RARE AND IMPORTANT ADDENDA

315. Haseltine, John W. Addenda to JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Sixty-Fifth Sale. March 1-2, 1883. 6 pp. 70 lots. Some roughness and soiling of the fore edges, otherwise clean and nearly VF. (50.00)

The Introduction reads:

The attention of collectors is especially directed to the following pieces, many of which are exceedingly rare and some have never been offered before at either Public or Private sale. I have never seen duplicates of the following seven Twenty Cent Pieces, and they are of such extreme rarity that the Cabinet of [the] United States Mint does not contain them.

The first 20 lots are patterns including the aforementioned twenty-cent pieces (bringing an average of \$32.00 each). the "rarest" 1872 Commercial dollar in silver (\$97.00), one of 2 1860 \$5.00 patterns in gold (\$53.00), a 1796 half cent "I have never catalogued a finer half cent of this date and doubt if it can be excelled" (\$125.00), and a 1797 13 star half dime (Haseltine believed it to be the best of this rare variety that had ever been offered). Also a choice Maccabean half shekel, a proof 1838 cent, a "gem" 1842 small date large cent, a BU 1852 half dollar, an unc 1867 Canadian "Devins & Bolton" token, an 11 piece variety set of 1773 Virginia half pennies, an "unique" Franco-Americana medal commemorating the American centennial celebration in "New York City", and other rare medals. Although this addenda is rare, we were fortunate to have previously offered another copy in our previous sale. However, this is in much superior condition to that copy which realized \$52.00.

316. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Sixty-Eighth Sale: The O.H. BERG Collection. May 23-24, 1883. 35 pp. 1069 lots. A PRICED COPY. Because of close trimming at the backstrip, the contents are completely disbound. The back cover is missing. The last two leaves are chipped. The contents are essentially clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B. The Berg 1804 dollar with pedigree information. Standish Barry 3 pence. 150 lots of large cents with 9 1793s and an "unusually good" 1799. 33 lots of high grade English halfpenny tokens including a 1794 "Erskine and Gibbs and Trial by Jury" in silver. The Charles Carroll of Carrolton medal, ex-Bushnell. Extensive European silver coinage. A scarcer sale.

317. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Sixty-Eighth Sale: WILLIAM J. JENKS. June 6, 1883. 24 pp. 667 lots. Errata slip. ORIGINAL PRICES REALIZED LIST. The covers show ageing. The contents are clean and Fine. (35.00)

Adams, A- with an "A" rating for U.S. gold. Signed on the front cover and on the PRL by G.R. Drowne. "The following series of Half Eagles, Quarter Eagles, and Three dollar pieces ... I think ... are the most complete line ever offered for public competition," from Haseltine's introduction. Rarities abound including the 1815 half eagle, complete \$5.00s from the 1820's and an 1863 proof. Also a "finest known" 1797 broken die \$2.50, complete \$3.00s. The gold originally belonged to Phineas Adams of Manchester, New Hampshire.

The strength of the large cents are the proofs: 1845-1849, 1855 & 1856. Also 5 proof half cents. This is an important, very scarce sale especially important with the rare original PRL.

318. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Seventy-First Sale. August 22, 1883. 27 pp. 743 lots. Professionally trimmed. The covers are worn and chipped. The contents are especially clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. 92 lots of good large cents with a choice 1793 wreath cent; however, as Haseltine noted: "The late Mr. Brechemin, of Philadelphia, ... cleaned all of his cents, even when they were strictly uncirculated and of a beautiful, light olive color, his desire being to have them all bright. ... many of them are beautiful cents, and purchasers can easily darken them if they so desire, but age will undoubtedly turn them to a good olive color." George III pattern crown by Mudie. 107 lots of ancient Roman coins. Uncirculated and uncanceled 1861 Montgomery \$100 and \$50, and 1861 Richmond \$100 Confederate notes. 140 lots of autographs.

319. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Seventy-Third Sale: E.G. CHANDLER and L.S. BOISDORE. November 15-16, 1883. 46 pp. 1171 lots. The covers are peripherally discolored. But for a few pencilled marks in the margin, the contents are quite clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B. Excellent colonials: good Massachusetts silver with a NE shilling, many attributed NJ cents, attributed Connecticut cents with a Higley copper. Important Washingtonia with 2 Seasons medals. Also a 1794 dollar and an 1804 quarter. Also 106 lots of large cents. Confederate currency attributed according to Haseltine's descriptive catalogue thereof.

320. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Seventy-Fifth Sale: Catalogue of the Collection of Coins and Numismatic Library Belonging to D. STRASSER of Albany, N.Y. January 11-12, 1884. 48 pp. 1378 lots. A PRICED COPY. Virtually disbound from being removed from a bound volume. The back cover is missing. The contents are VG. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Apparently this was an auction room copy as there are a variety of coded notations besides many lots, perhaps bidders initials. 44 lots of British American (Canadian) tokens. 1794 dollar. Post-1859 proof silver singles. 83 lots of ancient Greek and Roman coinage. 139 lots of large cents with an AU 1793 "chain". 97 lots of British half penny tokens, many quite choice. 23 lots of Irish tokens. 33 lots of Australia tokens. 79 lots of numismatic literature.

321. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Seventy-Sixth Sale. Catalogue of U.S. Silver and Copper Coins, American Colonials and Foreign Copper Coins. January 29, 1884. 19 pp. 577 lots. A PRICED COPY. Virtually disbound from being removed from a bound volume. The back cover is missing. The contents are VG. (15.00)

Adams, C. A match for the previous lot. Apparently this was an auction room copy as there are a variety of coded notations besides many lots, perhaps bidders initials. In the last few sales Haseltine referred to twenty cent pieces as "double dimes". Unc 1794 and 1795 half dimes. The remainder of the U.S. coinage is undistinguished.

322. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Seventy-Seventh Sale. March 12-13, 1884. 40 pp. 1037 lots. The covers are peripherally discolored. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Good fractional currency and extensive Confederate currency attributed according to Haseltine's descriptive catalogue thereof. Some good numismatic literature including auction catalogues.

323. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Seventy-Eighth Sale. April 23, 1884. 20 pp. 546 lots. A gouge affecting the center of the front cover and first two leaves. Otherwise VG. (10.00)

Adams, C. Many good cleaned large cents, ex-Brechemin.

324. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Seventy-Ninth Sale. June 7, 1884. 29 pp. 728 lots. The back cover is peripherally faded. The contents are quite clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. A 1792 Birch Cent which in a copy we offered before had "out" printed instead of a price. An 1785 Immune Columbia in silver. Confederate currency.

325. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Eighty-First Sale. August 28, 1884. 26 pp. 745 lots. Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C. 1799 cent, "rarely offered in as a fine a condition". Extensive Confederate currency attributed according to Haseltine's descriptive catalogue thereof. Some well-described ancient Greek and Roman coins. 70 lots of good large cents. Some numismatic literature.

326. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Eighty-Fifth Sale. January 30-31, 1885. 36 pp. 955 lots. Fine. (25.00)

Adams, B-. Pattern dollars: 1870 Longacre "Indian Queen", 1878 Barber "Standard Dollar". Much unc seated coinage. 1876-CC half dollar. 1850 \$50.00 round. Some of the lots were from the Economite hoard.

327. Haseltine, John W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S Eighty-Sixth Sale: J.L. KIRKPATRICK. June 23, 1885. 33 pp. 474 lots. The covers are chipped at the edges and the backstrip. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Although Adams lists the Eighty-Sixth sale as taking place June 13, 1887, this sale is clearly labelled as the Eighty-Sixth sale, as noted in Gengerke. This sale is entirely non-numismatic, containing only stone implements and Indian relics. Although it is non-numismatic, it is required for completion of the Haseltine series. This catalogue is also extremely elusive.

LYMAN HAYNES LOW, (1845-1924), became actively involved in numismatics in 1878 soon after finding a large number of foreign coins in circulation while he was on a vacation in Minnesota. He began to attend auctions in New York upon his return. In 1883 he became a full time coin dealer. After being in business by himself through the middle of 1887, he became the manager for Scott Stamp and Coin Company until 1896. Additionally, Low was a co-editor of THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NUMISMATICS from 1891 to 1906. His published reference on Hard Times tokens was the first significant standard reference for the field, and remained so for many years.

Adams noted about Low catalogues that "These are characterized by painstaking descriptions, exceptionally conservative grading and a wealth of background commentary." (p. 126)

Adams indicated that Low conducted a total of 212 auctions between 1882 and 1924 giving him the credit for the 14 auctions conducted by Scott Stamp and Coin during his employment there. Although Low's areas of special expertise were tokens, foreign copper coinage, medals, and Latin American coinage, his catalogues featured much quality U.S. coinage in all series. Despite the large number of sales he conducted, we have found Low sales to be by far the most elusive of all of the major dealers who were his contemporaries. For Low sales, this is considered a larger offering.

With the possible exception of the Haseltine catalogues, we have found that Low catalogues are the most difficult to find in nice condition because of the "ordinary" paper (as John Adams called it) which was used. As usual when Low sales appear, the light blue paper covered, small format sales typically have faded, chipped, worn covers. The covers also tend to be nearly or completely separated from the contents as although the contents were stapled together, the covers were merely glued at the backstrip. Thus, over time most of the covers have come unglued. The contents, however, do tend to be sound and clean. Unless indicated otherwise, the Low catalogues offered below can be assumed to look like the foregoing descriptions. Problem-free, choice Lyman Low catalogues are distinctly rare.

In our tenth mail bid sale, many of the classic catalogues from Remy Bourne were originally from the Hills collection. Hills had his catalogues bound into various volumes by dealer. In the years since most of the Hills volumes were disbound into individual catalogues. Most of the Low sales offered here were formerly from the J.C. Hills library.

NOTES ON THE CONDITIONS OF THE LYMAN LOW CATALOGUES OFFERED BELOW

Unless otherwise indicated, the following catalogues which were ex-Hills can each be described as "covers missing, professionally trimmed, neatly removed from a bound volume, generally priced, with some interior leaves loosening from being disbound," and in this case "taped at the backstrip". The contents are generally clean and Fine.

328. Low, Lyman H. [Sale 5] Catalogue of a Collection of Coins and Medals. February 4-5 (3-4 on the front cover), 1885. 56 pp. 1018 lots. A PRICED COPY. The original covers are split at the backstrip. The front cover is separated but present. The contents are generally Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B. "J.C. Hills" in cursive on the front cover. A Lord Baltimore shilling in copper. 196 lots of quality Canadian coins, tokens, and medals: 1670 Gloriam Regni, 1839 "side view" halfpenny token, 1796 Copper Company of Upper Canada/British Settlement Kentucky token. Good medals: Peace, Printing, Washington, Franklin, Lafayette, and politicals. One lot of 119 varieties of Australian tokens, Stainsfield's private collection. Also storecards and Civil War tokens. Latin-American coins and proclamations. Nearly 150 lots of counterstamped copper coinage "the greatest as well as the most interesting of its class ever offered at auction."

329. Low, Lyman H. Fourteenth Sale. Catalogue of the REV. FOSTER ELY, D.D. Collection of Coins and Medals. November 29-30, 1886. 53 pp. 1006 lots. A PRICED COPY. The rear cover is missing. Taped at the backstrip. Professionally trimmed. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B+. Good proof dollars: 1838, 1839, 1851, 1852, 1858. Half dollars: 2 1796s - 15 and 16 star varieties, 1797, unc 1815, 1856 proof. Quarters: 1823/22, 1827, unc 1853/52 no arrows or rays, unc 1855-S. Dimes: 1796, AU 1797 13 stars, VG 1804, unc 1830-0. 1802 half dime. 143 lots of good large cents: with 6 1793s, 16 attributed 1794s, an unc draped bust 1796, good 1799, 1804, 1811/10, AU 1821. A 1796 with pole and 10 original proofs: 1831, 1836, 1840, 1841, 1843-1846, 1848, 1852. Colonials: 1694 Carolina "elephant", Chalmers shilling and threepence, 1785 Immune Columbia. Adams gives this sale an "A-" for early gold; however, this must have been a typographical error as there is no early gold offered here.

330. Low, Lyman H. Fifteenth Sale. [R.H. CRESSINGHAM, H. WHITTINGHAM, I[SAAC]F. WOOD, and others] Catalogue of Coins, Medals and Numismatic Books. May 9, 1887. 43 pp. 675 lots. A PRICED COPY. The rear cover is missing. Taped at the backstrip. Professionally trimmed. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. A few rare Canadian communion tokens, medals, and tokens. Numismatic literature: 1881 Maris. 28 lots of foreign Peace medals. Fair large cents with a 1796 "liberty" - "the best specimen of this variety offered in years". 86 lots of Proclamation medals.

331. Low, Lyman H. Forty-Second Sale. Catalogue of ... Coins and Paper Money, the Property of JAMES T. CALLENDER. December 21, 1898. 33 pp. 572 lots. (Not priced.) Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (10.00)
Adams, B+. A discovery California gold pattern, 1849 Pelican Co. \$2.50 in brass. 80 lots of attributed Confederate currency with \$500 and \$50 Montgomery notes. 1848 proof \$2.50. 16 lots of attributed Canadian pre-Confederation.
332. Low, Lyman H. Forty-Fifth Sale. Catalogue of the Collection formed by the late G.A. NICOLLS. June 22, 1899. 43 pp. 715 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, B-. Many foreign crowns. 1858 proof dollar. Brasher counterstamp on 1767 Portuguese "Joe". 1854-D \$3.00. World and American medals in silver and bronze. A previously unlisted 1811 Popayan proclamation in silver.
333. Low, Lyman H. Forty-Sixth Sale. Catalogue of the Collections of Messrs. J.N.M. DESY, JOSEPH M. ROMAN, HENRY BERNHARDT, AND GEORGE A FLATAU. July 26, 1899. 31 pp. 493 lots. Generally unpriced with a few prices inked in the margin. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, C+. 1834 proof cent, 1831 and proof 1836 half cents. One lot with 75 Admiral attributed Vernon medals. 269 different in "Bungtowns" in one unattributed lot. Hundreds (many in multiple lots) of attributed Canadian tokens.
334. Low, Lyman H. Forty-Seventh Sale. Catalogue of the Collection of Ancient Greek and Roman Coins ... The Property of MR. AUGUST AUERBACH. September 28, 1899. 44 pp. 603 lots. Unpriced. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, B-. Ancient Greek gold, silver, and copper. Aes Grave. Ancient Roman consular and imperial denarii. Several paragraphs by Low about coin and medal designs. 2 fractional currency shields.
335. Low, Lyman H. [Fiftieth Sale] Collection of LEOPOLD GANS. March 14, 1900. 27 pp. 603 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, B. This was Low's second sale after his leaving Scott Stamp and Coin. 1880 gold dollar. 1873 EF \$3.00. 4 gold proof sets from \$2.50 to \$20.00: 1894 to 1896, and 1898. 414 unc 1893 Isabella commemorative quarters, most in multiple lots. 1797 half dollar. 1836 Gobrecht "name on base" dollar. Proof sets from 1858 to 1898. 1785 Nova Constellatio rarity. Some choice and rare fractional currency. 1897 Grant's Tomb medal by Tiffany issued by the ANS.
336. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-First Sale] CHARLES M. HODGE. April 21, 1900. 38 pp. 640 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. The interior margins are rough from the disbinding process. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are VG. (15.00)
Adams, B. 219 lots of numismatic literature. Fractional currency. 1821 \$2.50. Good early \$5.00s with a 1796, 1823, 1825, 1830, and an 1860 Mormon \$5.00. 1860 gold proof set lacking the \$3.00. 1797 half dollar. 1838 & 1839, 1858 proof dollars with a VF 1852. A few lots with multiples of modest, attributed Breton tokens. An AU 1852 half dollar. Proof sets from 1873 to 1898. A few lots with multiples of attributed Hard Times tokens. An EF 1875 gold dollar.
337. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-Second Sale] A Parcel Sale. June 23, 1900. 45 pp. 701 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. A four inch tear in the title page. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, A- with an "A" for private gold. Rare colonial currency. Admiral Dewey medal. Some good half cents: 1796, 4 proofs with an 1847 original. Large cents: 1793 chain - "few possess its equal", some 1794 varieties, and a 1799. 100 lots of numismatic literature. Good U.S. gold: 1806/4 \$2.50, 1849 Mormon \$20.00, "the only one I ever had possession of".
338. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-Third Sale] Catalogue of Coins, Medals, Tokens and Paper Money. H. METZNER, THOS. SPENCER. September 27, 1900. 39 pp. 599 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Some foxing on the outer leaves. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, C. GAR medals and badges. A few attributed Canadian tokens.
339. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-Fourth Sale] Catalogue of Coins, Medals, and Paper Money. A.R. PERRY, REV. P.H. SMITH. November 27, 1900. 33 pp. 586 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, C+. 7 BU 1859 Canadian cents, Fractional currency. Some good large cents with an unc 1796. Some English pattern copper with a "cartwheel". Nice English with some good silver pennies. Politicals and storecards. Early Chinese money "razor and spade shaped."
340. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-Fifth Sale] WILLIAM GASTEN. December 29, 1900. 38 pp. 623 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)
Adams, B+ with an "A" for British. 178 lots of British with excellent hammered silver, also Portcullis half crown. 1648 "Pontrefact" shilling. Also early British colonial copper. Good European coinage. Good numismatic literature with THE NUMISMATIST from 1892 to 1900.
341. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-Eighth Sale] The Collection of ADELARD BOUCHER. May 13, 1901. 43 pp. 690 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Taped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (40.00)
Adams, B+ [with an "A" for Canadian] "Abundant RR [extremely rare] Canadian with Low's comments..." Boucher, one of the founders of the Montreal Numismatic Society in 1862, assembled several collections of note. This collection sold after his death was considered to be his most important. Boucher was the first President of the Montreal Numismatic Society "and

the man who conceived the idea for the organization ..." (Major Sheldon S. Carroll, "A Short History of Canadian Numismatics", C.N.A. BULLETIN, February 1953, p. 4).

191 lots of Canadian numismatic material. Also 25 lots of attributed Connecticut coppers with one not in Maris (which sold for \$26 when a Maris 17b sold for \$8.00). A few lots of good encased postage. Some fair large cents. A crudely bound copy of this sale, unpriced, sold for \$75.00 in our sixth mail bid sale.

342. Low, Lyman H. [Sixty-Third Sale] An Englishman's Collection of United States Coins. WILLIAM NORMAN. December 16, 1901. 33 pp. 706 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers present. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Virtually disbound from close trimming upon being removed from the bound volume. The contents are Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Good large cents: EF 1793 chain, unc 1798. VF 1809 dime. Some fractional currency.

343. Low, Lyman H. [Sixty-Fourth Sale] A.P.W. JOHNSTON, P.N. BRETON, THOS. OWEN, C.D. PERRY. January 17, 1902. 31 pp. 598 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Stapled at the margins. Evidence of having been removed from a bound volume. The title page is heavily worn and soiled. The contents are slightly soiled. VG. (10.00)

Adams, C. Some interesting Canadiana from Breton.

344. Low, Lyman H. [Sixty-Fourth Sale] A.P.W. JOHNSTON, P.N. BRETON, THOS. OWEN, C.D. PERRY. January 17, 1902. 31 pp. 598 lots. A PRICED COPY. Both covers missing. Stapled at the margins. Evidence of having been removed from a bound volume. The title page is heavily worn and soiled. The contents are slightly soiled. VG. (10.00)

Adams, C. Some interesting Canadiana from Breton.

345. Low, Lyman H. [Seventy-Third Sale]. Auction Sale. Coins, Medals, Paper Money, Etc. Properties of C.W. FANCHER, F.J. STEELE, W.H. KEITH, the late GEORGE F. JASPER. November 26, 1902. 43 pp. 701 lots. The covers are chipped at the backstrip. The covers are relatively clean. The contents are nearly VF. (10.00)

Adams, C. Some Confederate currency. Masonic medals and badges.

346. Low, Lyman H. [Ninety-Ninth Sale]. Auction Sale. Coins, Medals, and Tokens. Final Portion of the H.G. BROWN Collection, with Consignments from Messrs. CONRAN, HEILBRONNER, LANGDON April 19, 1905. 39 pp. 699 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are taped at the backstrip. The covers are worn. Several interior leaves are torn at the margin. The contents are nearly VG. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Ex-Wilson 17, lot 951. 60 & 45 lots of mediocre large cents. Some Canadiana with a Breton 977. Early Chinese "The very rarest Chinese money and in oddest shapes. Unc NJ cent, Maris 63-q.

347. Low, Lyman H. 142nd Sale. Auction Sale of Coins and Medals. C.D. STARKEY. July 8, 1909. 29 pp. 565 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. The covers are chipped at the edges. The contents have numerous inked notations in the margin. The contents are otherwise Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C-. Described by Adams as "dogmeat catalogued professionally on wretched paper." Some unc late date large cents. Unc 1810 half cent. Some attributed Canadian tokens. "Canadian Tokens from the Cabinet of the late ALFRED DESJARDINS": 22 lots totalling 100 attributed Breton tokens.

348. Low, Lyman H. 204th Sale. Public Auction Sale of Coins.... JESSE W. POTTS COLLECTION - - Part Two. January 21, 1921. 39 pp. 736 lots. The covers are soiled. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. Some pencilled marginal marks. The contents are Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" rating for proofs. A proof 1856 Flying Eagle cent. Medals issued by the Circle of Friends of the Medallion, "I believe the first set publicly offered." 22 lots of Indian Peace medals in bronze from Adams to Benjamin Harrison. 11 Presidential inaugural medals including William Henry Harrison. Some lifesaving medals. An unc 64 gram Bechtler gold piece. Early twentieth century proof gold with a 1907 proof gold set. 74 lots of proof sets from 1874 to 1915, some multiples. 30 exposition medals. 50 lots of Lincoln medals and tokens. 90 lots of attributed (by Bradbeer) Confederate currency.

349. Low, Lyman H. 210th Sale. Public Auction Sale of Coins, Medals, and Paper Money. Second and Final Portion of the GEORGE H. PETERS Collection. June 9, 1923. 37 pp. 560 lots. White glossy card covers. Professionally trimmed. Neatly removed from a bound volume. The covers are relatively cleaned. A few pencilled marks in the margin. The contents are nearly VF. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Low's third last sale. 15 Indian Peace medals in copper. State of Maryland unpublished certificates from 1781 to 1786. Good World War I medals. This is an extremely scarce catalogue.

JOHN WALTER SCOTT, "The Father of American Philately", was unsuccessful in his initial attempt to start the first U.S. stamp dealership upon his having emigrated from England at 18 circa 1863. Nevertheless he did conduct the first U.S. stamp auction in May 1870. Of numismatic importance, he published THE COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL (CCJ) from 1875 to 1888. Scott arguably can be given the credit for truly expanding the horizons of American numismatics from its limited eastern roots to its being a truly national hobby as the CCJ became the first nationally successful American numismatic periodical, largely because of his national philatelic mailing list. Also of numismatic importance was Scott purchasing the reverse die of the Confederate half dollar, after which he created and distributed the Confederate half dollar restrike.

Regarding the numismatic auction catalogues issued under the Scott name, David Proskey catalogued most of the sales until 1886, with Lyman Low cataloguing those from 1888 through 1896. The catalogues which Scott occasionally wrote during the Proskey/Low period were mediocre as Scott's true expertise was philatelic.

A problem which the collector of Scott's numismatic catalogues encounters is that his sales were numbered without regard for whether they were numismatic or philatelic sales. Consequently, Scott's first numismatic sale in October 1877 was listed on the cover as Sale 10. For the Scott sales below, we will list the numismatic sale number in brackets preceding the actual sale number printed on the catalogue. In appearance, Scott's sales are small format with green paper covers featuring woodcut illustrations of coins.

350. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 2: A. REDLICH] Sale 13. Coin Sale. March 4-6, 1878. 48 pp. 999 lots. Ills. A PRICED COPY. The contents are separated from the covers. The covers are worn. Then contents are Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. Includes the Levick specimen ("finest known") of the 1802 half dime (\$172.50). 66 lots of large cents: unc 1796 fillet head cent, 1802, unc 1803, 1834 proof. Eccleston Washington medal. Extensive good Germanic silver coins and medals. Luther medals. 1858 Canadian 3 piece silver proof set. 1851 and 1857 proof dollars.

351. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 4: L. SAALFELDER] Sale 16. Coin Sale. July 30-31, 1878. 40 pp. 812 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are missing. The binding is loosening. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C. Numerous well-described ancients: 65 lots of ancient Greek, 152 lots of Roman Imperial denarii, 129 lots of Consular denarii, 140 lots of Roman bronzes. Good half dimes from 1829 to 1873.

352. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 5: H.E. JONES] Sale 17. Coin Sale. October 10, 1878. 18 pp. 434 lots. Ills. A PRICED COPY. The covers are missing. The binding is loosening. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C+. 120 lots of large cents: unc 1793 wreath cent "One of the finest cents I have seen," unc 1795, unc 1797, unc 1798 large date and small date. Half cents: unc 1793, lower grade 1796. Unc 1795 fillet head dollar. 1861 Confederate cent.

353. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 6: H.E. JONES] Sale 19. Coin Sale. December 9-10, 1878. 25 pp. 785 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are chipped at the edges. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C. The good run of priced large cents provide much useful information and research data. 1794 dollar. 1858 proof dollar. An 1823 quarter. Noteworthy colonials. Some numismatic literature with an 1869 AMERICAN BOND DETECTOR.

354. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 7: S.B. SCHIEFFELIN] Sale 22. Coin Sale. March 3-8, 1879. 159 pp. 3005 lots. There is a two inch vertical tear on the front cover near the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (15.00)

Adams, A with an "A" rating for ancients. Extensive, excellent well-described English hammered. 27 important lots of Scottish coinage. Good European medals. Excellent, extensive, and well-described ancients: 212 lots of Roman Consular denarii, 860 (!) lot of Roman Imperial coinage, 50 lots of Byzantine, 850 (!) lots of autonomous Greek, 750 additional lots of mostly ancient Greek silver coinage, 79 lots of mostly classical numismatic literature. One of the most significant sales of ancient coinage in nineteenth century United States.

355. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 8] Sale 23. Coin Sale. March 3-8, 1879. 17 pp. 529 lots. A PRICED COPY. Included is the 5 lot insert. The covers are soiled. The contents are Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C. "George W. Rode, No. 124" inkstamped on the cover. A decent run of large cents. A 6 piece 1870 pattern set. A New England Shilling.

356. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 9] Sale 25. The ALFRED WATKINS Collection. Coin Sale. September 4, 1879. 25 pp. 608 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical trisecting folds. The covers are soiled. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. The "Philadelphia" shilling. The discovery specimen of the 1806 over 1809 half dollar. An 1804 dime. Also Roman denarii and bronzes, fractional currency, a Grant Indian Peace medal, a 1797 lettered edge cent. Incidentally, Adams and Gengerke (and me, too) have listed this sale as having 658 lots. In error, Scott followed lot 607 with lot 658.

357. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 10] Sale 27. The NOEL GRAY Collection. Coin Sale. October 27-28, 1879. 35 pp. 905 lots. A PRICED COPY. Neatly and expertly removed from a sewn binding. Some old binding glue on the backstrip. Vertical trisecting fold. The neatly, professionally trimmed covers and contents Fine or better. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Coins of Japan and India "new to America", 1858 \$1.00, 1797 half dollar, 1823 25 cents, "finest known" 1822 dime, 1796 original Castorland half dollar, Napoleon medals, Confederate currency.

358. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 11] Sale 28. Coin Sale. December 15, 1879. 22 pp. 513 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical bisecting fold. Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. 106 lots of good English from William the Conqueror onward. A few lots of Scottish silver coinage. 89 lots of colonials: Higley threepence. (In our mail bid sale 5, I mistakenly called this the Crosby plate coin. It was not.) Nice early colonials, encased postage - then called "postal medallion currency". 78 lots of attributed Hard Times tokens. 40 lots of well-described war and military decorations. 24 lots of fractional currency proofs.

359. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 12: M.W. DAVIS] Scott & Company's 29th Auction Sale. February 10, 1880. 21 pp. 502 lots. Vertical trisecting fold. The covers are soiled. The contents are Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C. A few good early halves: 1797, 1801-1803. 57 lots of bronze medals of Louis XIV. An unc 1787 Massachusetts half cent. VG 1804 dime. Unc 1806 quarter. 1795 \$5.00.

360. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 13: G. GRUNEWALD] Scott & Company's 31st Auction Sale. April 12, 1880. 23 pp. 580 lots. A PRICED COPY. Neatly and expertly removed from a sewn binding. The front cover is missing. Some old binding glue on the backstrip. Vertical trisecting fold. The neatly, professionally trimmed covers and contents Fine or better. (10.00)

Adams, C. 110 lots of Germanic coins. A variety of medals. 38 lots of autographs.

361. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 14: HERBERT STEINMAN] Scott & Company's 33rd Auction Sale. July 20-22, 1880. 60 pp. 1500 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical trisecting fold. Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. 99 lots of large cents with some varieties indicated. 1787 Connecticut cent, Crosby no. 8, rev D. - "Crosby says he knew of one of this variety." 1869 pattern \$5 00 in copper. An 1865 twopence - "impression from the regular dies on a planchet, obv. silver, rev. copper from Lake Superior." Much foreign silver and copper coinage 1792 half disme. Good half dimes from 1831 onward. BU 1814 dime. 1838 no stars dime. BU 1806/5 quarter. 1823 quarter.

362. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 15: T.T. BATES] Scott & Company's 34th Auction Sale. December 15-16, 1880. 35 pp. 1057 lots. A PRICED COPY. The back cover is soiled, otherwise Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. 105 lots of large cents with 1793 to 1802 attributed and good middle and late dates. 1861 Confederate cent. "The original obverse die made in New Orleans in 1861, from which four half dollars were coined" brought \$5 00. Good dollars with a 1794, 1838, 1839. Half dollars: 1797, 1836 BU, mostly uncs from 1808 to 1857. George II Indian Peace medal. 90 lots of Washingtonia with an Eccleston medal. 12 lots of Scottish silver coins. Good European coinage.

363. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 19: J.W. SCOTT] Scott & Company's 40th Auction Sale. Coins. March 13, 1882. 32 pp. 400 lots. A PRICED COPY. Ills. ONE ENGRAVED PLATE OF ORDERS AND MEDALS TINTED AND COLORED IN THE COLORS OF THE METAL AND CLOTH. The front cover is slightly soiled and had two inkstains. The contents are Fine. (40.00)

Adams, A- with an "A" for Confederate. "The collection from which the rarities herein catalogued have been selected was formed by Mr. J.W. Scott during the course of many years...." A genuine, original 1861 Confederate half dollar followed by nearly a page of historical text and provenancing (\$870.00). 70 lots of private and territorial gold with 50 lots of California fractional gold and specimens from N.G. & N., Moffat & Co., Clark Gruber & Co., A. & C. Bechtler, 4 lots of Mormon gold. Some good colonials: Sommer Islands sixpence and shilling. An Oak Tree shilling brought \$6.63. Lord Baltimore shilling, Chalmers shilling, a "unique" Non Vi Virtute Vici cent. Also 2 Washington Seasons medals in silver. An unc 1804 cent "the finest specimen of this rare cent we have seen" brought \$75.00. A few lots of excellent ancients. Rare military orders six of which are illustrated on the tinted, colored plate. Nearly 150 European crowns. Thus is a particularly important sale, not only for the plate, but also for the offering and the information about the confederate half dollar. Frossard in the March 1882 NUMISMA was at his vituperative best in describing the proceedings of the sale.

364. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 21: JOHN ACKER] Scott & Company's 44th Auction Sale. May 12, 1882. 132 pp. 550 lots. Vertical trisecting fold. Overall essentially Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C- "flotsam". One lot of 10 storecards with some rarities included. "It has been remarked by a number of numismatists that since Mr. Scott lost the services of Mr. Proskey, who, whatever else may be said, is at least a well informed coin man, his catalogues have sunk to a very low level of excellence." (Ed. Frossard, NUMISMA, May 1882, p. [5])

365. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 22] 45th Auction Sale: O. SCHMIDT. June 26, 1882. 147 pp. 463 lots. A PRICED COPY. Neatly and expertly removed from a sewn binding. Because of the close trimming at the margin, the contents are loose. The neatly, professionally trimmed covers and contents Fine or better. (10.00)

Adams, C-. Adams indicated "stamps" for this sale, but it is virtually all numismatic material. Regardless, little is of significance.

366. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 23: ALFRED CURTAIN] 47th Auction Sale. Coins. November 27, 1882. 16 pages numbered 165 to 181. 522 lots. A PRICED COPY. Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C. 57 lots of well-described, attributed Masonic medals. Some ancients with a few important Judaeon coins. There is no clear-cut explanation for the odd numbering of the pages in this sale although it appears that Scott began to number the pages of his sales continuously.

367. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 30] 88th Auction Sale. REV. FOSTER ELY. November 17, 1888. 12 pp. 115 lots. Ills. A PRICED COPY. The covers are missing. Vertical trisecting fold. The last page is chipped at the inner margin. Nearly disbound. (10.00)

Adams, B. Exclusively U.S. gold coins. 1878 gold pattern set. \$10.00s: 1798/7, unc 1804. \$5.00s: 6 lots from 1795 to 1798, unc 1819, 1824, 1828, unc 1829 (1 of 4 then known). \$2.50s: 1796 to 1798. \$1.00s: 1863-1865 and 1875 & 1876.

368. Scott & Stamp & Coin Co. L'd. [Numismatic Sale 37] 129th Auction Sale. Various Collections of Coins, Medals and Paper Money. June 26, 1894. 30 pp. 473 lots. The covers are VG. The contents are Fine. (10.00)

Adams, B-. 60 lots of large cents with a "gem" (according to Adams) 1804 cent "Altogether it is the most valuable specimen that has been in our possession for years", an unc 1849 "An exceptional specimen". Good U.S. gold: 1864 unc \$1 00, 1875 \$1.00 unc with "haymarks". \$2.50s: 1796 no stars, 1798, 1806/04, 1825 "a trifle less than unc." 1876 unc \$3.00 \$5.00s: 1823, AU 1825/21, 1826. Also an uncanceled 1861 \$1000 Montgomery Confederate note.

62 lots of copper coins and tokens of Mexico and Latin America. (1584?) Raleigh Plantation token. 11 lots of choice attributed 18th century English tokens consisting of 26 tokens with a Good 1792 Nuneaton. Some good numismatic literature. A group of "unauthorized" restrike Latin American patterns. Some good and rare Canadian tokens.

369. Scott Stamp & Coin Co. L'd. [Numismatic Sale 38] 130th Auction Sale. The PARIS Collection. European Silver Coins, also American Copper, Silver and Gold. December 12-13, 1894. 56 pp. 1310 lots. The covers are soiled and VG. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (15.00)

Adams, B. "Rarely, if ever, have American collectors had the opportunity to compete for such extensive and important lines of Medieval coinages and those which succeed them, up to the present century." Excellent papal medals and medieval Venetian coinage. The first 700 lots consist of European coinage in silver, billon, and copper. Good descriptive text about the French satirical coinage. 35 lots of attributed Canadian tokens with rarities such as Breton 997 and 1821 Louzon 4 pence (Breton 560). The Brasher counterstamp on the 1742 Lima doubloon with important descriptive text. 80 lots of large cents. EF 1803 dime. 1797 half dollar. Branch mint seated half dollars. 80 lots of U.S. gold: branch mint \$1.00s, 1796 \$2.50, 1824/21 \$2.50, 1825 \$2.50, Fine 1873 \$3.00, 1797 \$10.00 4 stars on reverse.

370. Scott & Stamp & Coin Co. L'd. [Numismatic Sale 41] 135th Auction Sale. Catalogue of the Collection of Coins and Medals, Formed by the Late A. GERALD HULL. November 6-7, 1895. 48 pp. 1079 lots. The covers are missing. Other than one fold on the title page, the contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, B-. Some Massachusetts silver from the April 1892 King sale. 65 lots of bust dollars with 15 different, though undescribed, varieties of the 1799 dollar. 1823/22 quarter. 95 lots of good patterns with rarities.

The catalogues of WILLIAM ELLIOT WOODWARD "taken as a whole, stand above all the other" according to John Adams. Essential references for collectors of colonials, Washingtonia, and medals, "The Woodward series offers more than just longevity, dignity, numismatic content and knowledge. It is also an informal history of the hobby..." (Adams, p. 26). Adams indicated that there supposedly were six complete sets of the 111 catalogues in the Woodward series, but that he only knew of two. In his 50th sale catalogue, Woodward noted that most of the editions of his sales prior to Sale 19 were small. A note: in John Adams' book, each cataloguer's section is preceded by a drawing of him. It is noteworthy that Woodward's section is preceded by a drawing of Joseph Mickley (This was pointed out to me by Scott P. Rubin). Evidently, no pictures of Woodward are known.

Woodward catalogues generally come with the edges untrimmed. The outer margins are all larger than the gutter margins as it was expected that serious collectors would have their bookbinders trim the oversized outer margins when the sale was bound in fine leather. Consequently, the foreedges of Woodward sales can generally be expected to show soiling or slight chipping. One can assume the covers to be soiled, slightly chipped at the spine, but with Fine contents.

371. Woodward, W.E. Sale 7: Catalogue of American and Foreign Coins, Medals, and Tokens. December 23, 1863. 16 pp. 504 lots. The covers are missing. The bottom quarter is heavily waterstained. Otherwise the catalogue is VG. (30.00)

Adams, C. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. A "remarkably Fine" 1804 cent. A "tolerably good" 1794 half dime. Good Washingtonia: Eccleston medal. Some politicals. Priced and rare catalogues. This is quite an elusive catalogue.

372. Woodward, W.E. Sale 9: JOHN F. MC COY, ESQ. of New York City. May 17-21 1864. 160 pp. 3122 lots. Later black cloth, gilt. The covers and the title page are missing. The contents are clean and virtually VF. (75.00)

Adams, A+. Adams/Attinelli, R-4. Perhaps one measure of the importance of this sale is that it was selected to be illustrated on the dust cover of the 1976 Quarterman reprint of Attinelli, A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AUCTION CATALOGUES 1828-1875. As an indicator of the breadth of this magnificent collection, Adams gave this sale an "A" rating in 11 different categories - the only U.S. category for which this catalogue did not receive an "A" was in tokens.

Highlights: "finest" proof 1797 half; unc 1804 quarter; 1823 & 1827 quarters, 1802 half dime (then only 3 were known). 94 lots of superb large cents: 1799 "best ever offered"; 1804 "probably finest"; "best known 1807"; 1821, 1822 & 1823 proofs. 51 superb half cents with the "finest existing" unc 1796 and 21 proofs from 1831 to 1857. Superb presidential and political tokens. Outstanding colonials with the finest collection of Massachusetts silver Woodward had ever seen, 5 Higleys, excellent states coinage. Also good patterns: 1794 dollar in copper "made for the express purpose of cheating a prominent collector". Excellent early gold. 300 lots of important Washingtonia with a complete set of 6 Seasons medals.

Also of note is that the last 342 lots consists of Woodward's collection of auction catalogues, circulars and pamphlets. Of particular importance are Woodward's notations of the rarities and variant editions. This catalogue was one of the key references for numismatic bibliophiles well into the 20th century. Arguably it was the most important sale conducted before 1865.

373. Woodward, W.E. Twenty-First Sale: [WILLIAM H. BOWDOIN] American and Foreign Coins and Medals. March 31-April 2, 1879. 104 pp. 2359 lots. A MOSTLY PRICED COPY. Untrimmed. The covers are chipped and soiled. The contents are clean and Fine. (14.00)

Adams, B. Bowdoin's four heirs divided his collection haphazardly into four parcels - this sale comprising two of them. 90 lots of good large cents with an 1822 proof. Good half cents with a nice 1796. Good colonials with a Gloucester shilling accompanied by important historical text. Fractional currency, "the most complete of any yet offered"; proof bust halves; extensive politicals, store cards, sutlers' checks; and 220 lots of auction catalogues and numismatic literature. Good Washingtonia. A good example of why these post-sale priced copies are so useful is the notation accompanying lot 568 a silver Washington medal with the reverse "U.S. Mint Cabinet" indicated that it was stolen and thus was not sold. A most useful sale.

374. Woodward, W.E. Twenty-Second Sale: American and Foreign Coins and Medals. June 10, 1879. 28 pp. 690 lots. The covers are chipped and soiled. The contents are Fine. (14.00)

Adams, C+. 90 lots of fair large cents. 1850 proof half cent. Boston medals. 105 lots of auction catalogues from 1850 onward. Washingtonia, fractional currency. This is a rather scarce catalogue.

375. Woodward, W.E. Sale 26: FERGUSON HAINES. January 27-28, 1880. 41 pp. 1126 lots. The staples have been removed. The contents are Fine. (12.00)

Adams, C. Mintmarked silver indicated. Colonials attributed by Crosby numbers: 21 NJ and 40 Connecticut coppers. 115 large cents with and "unusually good" 1799. Also good fractional currency, proof minors, and store cards.

376. Woodward, W.E. Twenty-Eighth Sale: Catalogue of the Numismatic Collection of DR. GIDEON SEARING. May 6-7, 1880. 53 pp. 1449 lots. The covers are heavily chipped. The paper is faded. The contents are VG. (12.00)

Adams, B-. 150 lots of auction catalogues from 1859 to 1880. Nice seated half dollars with branch mints fully represented. 1801, 02, 03 & 05 dimes. 100 lots of large cents with unc 1805. "Unique" (?) 1665 XII pence of New England. More information about this controversial piece can be found in Frossard's NUMISMA of July 1881. Unc 1823 \$5.00.

377. Woodward, W.E. Twenty-Ninth Sale: Bric-A Brac, &c. DR. GIDEON SEARING. June 17-18, 1880. 34 pp. 723 lots. Fine or better. (12.00)

Adams, C-. Exclusively bric-a-brac. This is a nice copy of a scarce catalogue.

378. Woodward, W.E. Thirty-Fifth Sale of Coins and Medals: DR. T.S. HITCHCOCK. January 14, 1881. 25 pp. 500 lots. A PRICED COPY. Vertical bisecting fold. The covers are a trifle chipped. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C. "A few medals but mostly non-numismatic." Signed on the cover by G.R. Drowne.

379. Woodward, W.E. Thirty-Fifth Sale of Coins and Medals: DR. T.S. HITCHCOCK. January 14, 1881. 25 pp. 500 lots. The covers are soiled and chipped at the backstrip. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C. AS ABOVE, but unpriced.

380. Woodward, W.E. Thirty-Sixth Sale of Coins, Medals, etc.: WILLIAM CLOGSTON. April 4-7, 1881. 93 pp. 2556 lots. Unopened and the edges untrimmed. The bottom quarter of the front cover has chipped away. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B. 76 + 120 lots of large cents: "Jefferson head", 1799, 1804, 1823 restrike. Extensive store cards. A paragraph apologizing for passing on false information from the mint about the number of proof gold coins issued for 1879 - "I beg to offer an apology to collectors for so far forgetting myself to make any statement for fact, based on information obtained from the Mint of the United States." Presidential and political. 180 lots of auction catalogues. Washingtonia. Chinese coinage from the Rev. Charles Hartwell collection. This was a really nice sale.

381. Woodward, W.E. Thirty-Seventh Sale of Coins and Medals ...: WILLIAM CLOGSTON. April 8-9, 1881. 59 pp. 1310 lots. Unopened and the edges untrimmed. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C+. Mostly Civil War era philatelic and affiliated paper items. Not much numismatic. 160 lots of Civil War medals. Good fractional currency. Below his offering of a rare 1881 Andrews is a paragraph in which he gives a glowing recommendation to Andrews' work. Afterward Woodward skewers Frossard's 1879 monograph.

Frossard responded to Woodward's attack in his May 1881 issue of NUMISMA by indicating that Woodward bought up all of the remaining issues of the 1881 Andrews before publishing his review. Frossard then noted that the 1881 Andrews was originally intended to be sold for 25c or to be given free to his friends, but then was bringing "as much as \$4.50."

382. Woodward, W.E. Thirty-Eighth Sale: The WILLIAM MARVIN Collection of Masonic Medals. June 21, 1881. 51 pp. 765 lots. The covers are chipped at the periphery. A strip of paper has been chipped away on the back cover. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, A-. 430 lots of Masonic medals. "Definitive collection of Masonic material by the man who wrote the book." Plus criticism toward Frossard about his attribution of a Mexican coin of Augustin (Iturbide). A most important sale.

383. Woodward, W.E. Forty-Second Sale. American and Foreign Coins and Medals: The BURTON Collection. October 26-28, 1881. 78 pp. 2034 lots. A PRICED COPY. The front cover and the backstrip are chipped and stained. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, A- with "A" ratings for large cents and early silver. A superior offering of well-catalogued large cents, varieties abound: 10 1793s, 27 1794s with a "starred reverse". Excellent dollars with a 1794 @ \$100. Excellent halves: 1796 15" "finest known" @ \$275, 1796 16", 1797. Quarters: 1804 unc @ \$82, 1823 & 1827. 1802 half dime. Good colonials. A most important sale priced.

384. Woodward, W.E. Forty-Fourth Sale of Coins and Medals and Stone Relics: [A.C. WOODWARD] The ELMIRA Collection. January 23-24, 1882. 47 pp. 1171 lots. Partially unopened. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, C+. George II Indian Peace medal. Fractional currency. Foreign coinage. 1802 half dollar. 1795 "Jefferson head" cent. 1796 "Nichols hoard" cent. "Unusually Fine 1799" cent. 1804 half eagle "in tin from original dies". Roman denarii. This is an extremely elusive sale.

385. Woodward, W.E. Forty-Seventh Sale of Coins, Medals &c. The WASHBURN Collection. June 6-7, 1882. 50 pp. 1387 + 162 (addenda) lots. Unopened. Other than some chipping and the backstrip and minor chipping on the front cover, the catalogue is extremely clean and Fine. (12.00)

Adams, C+. The silver is attributed by Haseltine varieties. 1795 "Jefferson head" cent. Some colonial and fractional currency.

386. Woodward, W.E. Forty-Ninth Sale: The MONTREAL Collection. July 11-12, 1882. 58 pp. 1386 lots. Unopened. The covers are chipped. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Early halves: 1794, 1796 15", 1797, 1801, 1802, 1805/4. 1802 half dime with a \$300 reserve that did not sell. 115 lots of large cents with lengthy commentary about a 1795 thick planchet sold by Scott in 1878. Also a long commentary about fabrications in the May 1864 C. Wyllys Betts sale. Nice Washingtonia and storecards. Some good colonials.

387. Woodward, W.E. Fifty-Eighth Sale: WILLIAM J. JENKS. June 25-26, 1883. 66 pp. 1407 lots. The covers have been chipped, detached, and reglued. The contents are clean and Fine. (30.00)

Adams, B+. 1794 \$1.00, Gobrecht \$1.00 @ \$41.00. 1851 and 1852 proof dollars. Excellent halves. strong 1796, 1797, and 1802 halves. Good quarters with an 1823. Worthy large cents with VF 1799. Excellent gold: 1815 \$5.00 (ex-Parmelee) - "the rarest coin of the American series in any metal" - brought \$300, 1797 \$2.50. 1858 proof set. Good patterns. 1792 Washington half dollar in silver. Good colonials. Extensive British. Ancients, strong in Roman.

388. Woodward, W.E. **Sixty-Second Sale: The HEMAN ELY Collection.** January 8-10, 1884. 98 pp. 1872 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are detached but present. The contents are clean and Fine. (35.00)

Adams, A+ with 9 "A" ratings. The only non-A ratings are 2 "B" ratings for large cents and Washingtonia. "In the whole American series this collection as purchased was complete with four exceptions - the half eagles of 1822 and 1831, the dollar of 1804, and one three dollar gold piece of no rarity." This catalogue contained the whole collection, but for some "recent" gold coins. Many of the coins were provenanced. 1794 dollar in copper, 1827 quarter, the early halves are ex-Seavey, 1802 half dime, 1792 silver center cent, 1792 dime and half dime, superior large cents, extraordinary half cents with excellent text. The U.S. gold series "is more extensive and more nearly complete than any collection ever before offered." Excellent colonials with excellent New York types. As a priced version of a virtually complete cabinet, this is a superb reference guide. [Note: the name is "Heman" not "Herman".]

389. Woodward, W.E. **Sixty-Third Sale: WINSLOW J. HOWARD and FRANCIS HOLSTEIN.** March 4-6, 1884. 101 pp. 2204 lots. Unopened and untrimmed. The front cover is chipped. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B. VF 1804 quarter. A decent run of early large cents. The Holstein collection also contains thousands (some in group lots) of excellent world copper coins.

390. Woodward, W.E. **Sixty-Sixth Sale: The SPRINGFIELD Collection. Coins, Medals, Pre-Historic Relics, etc.** April 24-26, 1884. 69 pp. 1494 lots. A PRICED COPY. But for some modest edge chipping, Fine or better. (20.00)

Adams, C+. 78 lots of good large cents with fair early dates, and excellent late dates. 1837 proof seated dime. Proof sets from 1860. Some rare, early coinage of Haiti. Two Washington Medals by Sansom. Some good patterns: 1804 \$5.00 in copper, 2 1838 pattern proof halves, 1859 \$20.00 in copper, several other 1861 and 1863 gold patterns in copper. 1796 Myddleton token in silver. Rare fractional currency. Many relics. 22 varieties of prehistoric grooved axes. The back cover has some useful information about Joseph Levick and the various sales of his coins. This is a really nice copy of a scarcer sale.

391. Woodward, W.E. **Sixty-Eighth Sale: The EUROPEAN Collection. Coins and Medals.** July 24-25, 1884. 54 pp. 1301 + 127 lots. A PRICED COPY. Nearly VF. (25.00)

Adams, C+. 500 lots of ancient Greek coinage. 1822 proof quarter. 1853 no arrows and rays quarter. Proof singles from the 1860s and 1870s. A Smith electrotype copy of a 1793 cent. Some decent late date large cents. 1862 6 piece gold proof set. BU 1825 quarter. The last 127 lots are minerals. This an exceptionally nice copy.

392. Woodward, W.E. **Seventy-Second Sale: Prehistoric Remains. A PENNSYLVANIA Collection.** February 26-27, 1885. 55 pp. 1133 lots. The covers are heavily soiled and chipped. The edges are untrimmed. The contents are Fine. (25.00)

Adams, C-. Other than a few unimportant numismatic lots, this is exclusively philatelic and Prehistoric remains. The three page preface discusses artifacts and the market thereof. For completion of the Woodward series, this sale has tended to be quite elusive.

393. Woodward, W.E. **Seventy-Eighth Sale: J. COLVIN RANDALL, Number Two.** September 15-17, 1885. 78 pp. 1839 lots. A PRICED COPY. Fine. (22.00)

Adams, A- with 2 "A" ratings for early silver and U.S gold. From WEW's introduction: "it is but faint praise to say that in the silver series, for condition, few collections outrank the one now offered." Stunning dollars. Half dollars: 27 varieties of 1795 halves, excellent bust and seated varieties with mintmarked issues. 100 lots of large cents. Much rare early U.S gold. Also offered, "The Rarest Hard Times Tokens". 50 lots of Canadian tokens.

394. Woodward, W.E. **Eightieth Sale: A.W. MATHEWS and Selections from the Collections of J. COLVIN RANDALL and J.N.T. LEVICK.** December 16-19, 1885. 103 pp. 2536 lots. The covers are chipped. The rear cover is detached but present. The contents are clean and VF. (22.00)

Adams, B+. Many lots of Levick's "copperheads" with one lot of 64 silver "copperheads". 150 lots of bust halves: 20 1795s, 1797, varieties, mintmarked issues. Excellent run of superior quarters (1815 unc with no letter counterstamped). Especially impressive dimes. Half dimes: proof 1794, unc 1796, unc 1797, 1802, unc 1805. "Finest" 1797 \$2.50. 112 lots of good large cents. Another section of 213 lots of Randall's cents: "comprise the entire stock selected by Mr. Randall for his retail trade." A Woodward paragraph detailing the availability in 1885 of mint state large cents of various dates. 130 lots of excellent Washingtonia: 3 Season medals, a silver Halliday medal, 4 Sansom medals, 1792 cent - Baker's recently released work rejuvenated the collecting of Washingtonia. A neat sale which we respectfully believe is deserving of an "A" rating.

395. Woodward, W.E. **Ninety-Third Sale: The Collection of a LADY NUMISMATIST of Western New York.** February 1-2, 1887. 43 pp. 965 lots. Both covers are chipped. A few lots are priced. The contents are very clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. Choice 1796 liberty cap cent. 1799 large cent, ex-Twining. Runs of proof sets: of note for the researcher, no 1869s or 1877s were offered. A 1792 silver center cent with lengthy important text. 1796 proof quarter. Good information about Daniel (baptised "Jacques") Groux and his medallic copies.

396. Woodward, W.E. **Ninety-Seventh Sale: DR. R.H. TREMPER.** August 27-29, 1888. 56 pp. 1266 lots. The covers are missing. Trimmed. Removed from a previously bound volume. Some binding glue remains on the spine. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C-. An entire catalogue of archaeological relics. Quite scarce.

397. Woodward, W.E. **Ninety-Eighth Sale. Bric-A-Brac, Coins, Curios, Etc.** August 30-31, 1888. 47 pp. 894 lots. Unopened. The back cover is missing. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Fractional currency with important rarities. An 1881 Andrews. Mostly bric-a-brac with many peripherally related numismatic items. An interesting sale.

398. Woodward, W.E. One Hundredth Sale: H.E. WOODWARD. October 22-24, 1888. 79 pp. 2050 lots. Untrimmed and unopened. The rear cover is heavily chipped and folded. The contents clean and Fine. (15.00)
Adams, C-. Although this is listed as a W.E. Woodward sale, it was actually catalogued by Harlow Woodward, W.E.'s brother. Exclusively philatelic, this has tended to be elusive.
399. Woodward, W.E. One Hundred and First Sale: [JOHN M. KLEIN] The "Vicksburg" Collection, [Part 11]. September 10-13, 1888. 101 pp. 1557 lots. Unopened and untrimmed. LOTS 1387 TO 1501 ARE PRICED AND MOSTLY NAMED. The front cover is chipped. The contents are VF. (25.00)
Adams, A- with "A" ratings for patterns and ancients. 350 lots of exceptional ancient Roman republican and imperial coinage in all metals. Also, extensive medieval, and modern world coinage. 112 lots of exceptional patterns introduced by an important text paragraph by Woodward commenting on the rarities offered herein, "a recurrence of the sale of such an extraordinary array of rarities and unique coins is not within the realm of possibilities of a near or remote future." The numerous pattern dollars are particularly noteworthy. 29 lots of Assay medals. Good numismatic library.
400. Woodward, W.E. One Hundred and Fourth Sale: [CHARLES STETSON] Coins, Medals, &c. January 21-22, 1889. 62 pp. 1123 lots. The back cover is missing. There are marginal pencilled notations in the last half of the catalogue. The contents are otherwise Fine. (20.00)
Adams, B with an "A" for large cents. 132 lots of Stetson's excellent large cents - "he only selects the choicest specimens": Unc 1793 chain "Ameri" - "Finest of this kind known, except that of Mr. Mickley"; 2 unc 1794s, 4 unc 1795s, 1799 "equal to the Abbey cent", 1823 "perhaps the best known". "uncommonly fine" 1794 dollar. Excellent patterns with extensive introductory text, many "unique or excessively rare." 26 lots of different variety Henry III (1216) silver pennies. Confederate cent in gold. The coin cabinets of J. Calvin Randall, Jeremiah Colburn, H.W. Holland, Robert Taylor, and Winslow Lewis. This is a most elusive sale.
401. Woodward, W.E. One Hundred and Seventh Sale: [NORMAN SPANG] Catalogue of Specimens in Archaeology.. January 17, 1890. 30 pp. 582 lots. Both covers are missing. The contents are virtually disbound. The contents are otherwise Fine. (15.00)
Adams, C-. Woodward's penultimate sale, this was entirely non-numismatic: amulets, discoidal stones, pipes, axes, spear heads, etc. This is another extremely elusive sale.

A Consignment from DAN HYLAN

Part I: Numismatic Literature of the United States.

402. Adams, Edgar H. UNITED STATES STORE CARDS. 1962 Ovolon (Al Hoch) reprint of the 1920 Adams-Raymond original edition. 12mo, CaC. 75 pp. Fine. (15.00)
"A List of Merchants' Advertising Checks, Restaurant Checks, and Kindred Pieces Issued from 1789 up to Recent Years, Including many of the Tokens Which Passed as Money and Known as Hard Times Tokens." The original is rare. Even the reprint has become scarce, especially unmarked copies.
403. Ahwash, Kamal W. ENCYCLOPEDIA OF UNITED STATES LIBERTY SEATED DIMES 1837-1891. 1977. 4to, blue cloth, lettered in silver. 411 pp. Enlarged illustrations throughout. VF. (40.00)
C-S 12237. This standard reference is always in demand.
404. A-MARK. ADMIRAL W. S. BITLER COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS: 1793-1814. March 17, 1973. 43 pp. 253 lots. 9 plates. VF. (17.00)
The Bitler sale is exceptionally well-catalogued with excellent photography by Jack Collins. Highlights: 12 1793s, 41 1794s, 34 1797s, 4 1799s.
405. Betts, Charles Wyllys. (William T.R. Marvin and Lyman Low, eds.) AMERICAN COLONIAL HISTORY ILLUSTRATED BY CONTEMPORARY MEDALS. 1964 Canadian reprint of the 1894 original. 332 pp. 111s. Fine. (15.00)
C-S 15025*. The reprint of the classic lists of 623 medals, including medals beginning in 1556, proclamation pieces, and medals of Admiral Vernon.
406. Bowers, Q. David and James F. Ruddy. THE EMPIRE GUIDE TO UNITED STATES HALF CENTS 1793-1857. New revised complete descriptive guide to die varieties. 1962, 1st edition. 12mo, gold textured CaC. 47 pp. 111s. Rarity guide. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (20.00)
C-S 12250. Although listed as a "Deluxe Edition", no other formats were issued. "The following listing of half cent die varieties represents all of the pieces known to us at this time". This was the first significant work on half cents to have been issued since Gilbert's 1916 standard reference.
407. Bowers and Ruddy (The American Auction Association). THE MAGNIFICENT STANISLAW HERSTAL COLLECTION. February 7-9, 1974. Large format. CaC. 180 pp. 2226 lots. Profusely illustrated. Virtually Mint. (40.00)
The most asked-for Bowers and Ruddy sale. Features the Herstal Polish collection: 515 lots in 43 pages with important text. Other highlights most often overlooked: a choice 1893-S Morgan brought \$20,000; 1795 Jefferson head for you EACers; treasure coins from the San Jose; the Idler 1804 dollar at \$165,000, 6 \$50.00 slugs. A magnificent sale.

408. (Bowers) Hathaway and Bowers Galleries, Inc. CHOICE AND DESIRABLE COINS. Volume III, Catalogue No. 5: May 1970. 4to, self-covered. 36 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (35.00)

The significant offerings include Connecticut coppers by die varieties and 15 proof half cents. An important article contained within is "The Coin Outlasts the Throne", by Frank Morton Todd, a reprint from 1921 about Farran Zerbe and the Panama-Pacific Exposition. This tends to be a scarcer issue.

409. (Bowers) Hathaway and Bowers Galleries, Inc. RARE COINS. Volume III, Catalogue No. 7: September 1970. 4to, self-covered. 32 pp. Ills. VF. (30.00)

The offerings include "The First Commemorative Half Dollar" - an 1824 bust half counterstamped with Washington's bust on the obverse and Lafayette's bust on the reverse; a 1792 dime in copper; a "magnificent offering" with good historical text of Vermont cents, 20 of which are illustrated on both sides; "A spectacular offering" of Connecticut cents with hundreds of attributed, well-described cents; and many proof half cents. Also included is a substantial article by QDB "A Treasure for the Future" discussing wise coin purchases. Incidentally we have noted that this may be the scarcest of the collectible issues of the Hathaway and Bowers series.

410. (Bowers) Hathaway and Bowers Galleries, Inc. CHOICE AND DESIRABLE COINS. Volume III, Catalogue No. 8: November 1970. 4to, self-covered. 48 pp. Ills. VF. (30.00)

The contents include "One Dealer's View of the A. N. A. Convention" QDB's recollections from 1955 onward and "The Money Pit" by D'Arcy O'Connor, a fascinating story reprinted from The Wall Street Journal about buried treasure on Oak Island, Nova Scotia. The numismatic offerings include important Vermont coppers and two pages of attributed Connecticut coppers. Apparently, the paper used in this issue was of a different composition as it has become discolored, which is not unusual for this particular number.

411. (Bowers) Hathaway and Bowers Galleries, Inc. CHOICE AND DESIRABLE COINS. Volume III, Catalogue No. 9: January-February 1971. 4to, self-covered. 44 pp. Ills. But for the tiniest piece of paper chipped away from the top gutter margin of the back cover, VF or better. (25.00)

This issue features even more attributed Connecticut coppers, an 1802 half dime, an 1841 \$2.50 - "The Little Princess", and "Coin Market Commentary" a four page article by QDB. Also offered is one lot of numismatic literature for \$3750 featuring Chapman's Cents of 1794, Clapp-Newcomb United States Cents 1795-1797, 1800, a Crosby (undated; it could be an 1875, 1945, or 1965), 8 large size Chapmans with a Bushnell and a plated Cleanay, and a plated copy of Woodward's Dohrmann sale.

412. Bradbeer, William West. CONFEDERATE AND SOUTHERN STATES CURRENCY. Historical and Financial Data, Biographical Sketches, Descriptions with Illustrations. 1945 R. Green reprint of the 1915 original. 8vo, blue cloth. 277 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. Nearly VF. (20.00)

C-S 13443, "Still interesting despite other publications". Limited to 1000 copies. Scarce.

413. Breen, Walter. 4 Monographs on U.S. Gold Coinage from Hewitt's Numismatic Information Series. 12mo, matching tan CaC. VF. (15.00)

1. MAJOR VARIETIES OF U.S. GOLD DOLLARS. 1964. 24 pp. Ills. C-S 12257.
2. VARIETIES OF UNITED STATES QUARTER EAGLES. nd. 32 pp. Ills. C-S 12261
3. MAJOR VARIETIES OF THE UNITED STATES THREE DOLLAR GOLD PIECES. nd. 19 pp. Ills. C-S 12262
4. UNITED STATES EAGLES. nd. 59 pp. Ills. C-S 12266

Originally published in Hewitt's NUMISMATIC SCRAPBOOK MAGAZINE, these are still required references for the collector of U.S. gold coins, and especially for the collector of gold by variety.

414. Brunk, Gregory. AMERICAN AND CANADIAN COUNTERMARKED COINS. 1987. Rockford. 4to, brown cloth, gilt. 349 pp. Ills. Vals. Nearly Mint. (35.00)

The eagerly awaited massive volume, including all counterstamped Spanish-American silver coins, covers thousands of counterstamped coins from colonial times to the beginning of W. W. II.

415. Brunk, Gregory G. (ed). WORLD COUNTERMARKS ON MEDIEVAL AND MODERN COINS. 1976. 8vo, cloth. 401 pp. Ills. VF. (35.00)

A Quarterman anthology of articles reprinted from THE NUMISMATIST featuring the works of Frank Duffield and Howland Wood.

416. Burnie, R[obert] H[enry] SMALL CALIFORNIA AND TERRITORIAL GOLD COINS. QUARTER DOLLARS, HALF DOLLARS, DOLLARS. 1955. 4to, original black card covers, gilt. 96 pp. The covers show a bit of wear. The contents are VF. (25.00)

C-S 12469. While several of the issues listed within this monograph are "fantasies", this is the only reference source for the fractional gold souvenir issues that were issued for American expositions and fairs from 1900 to 1915.

417. Clapp, George H. THE UNITED STATES CENTS 1804-1814. CCS-8. 1941. 12mo, CaC. 12 pp. 2 pls. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12273 One of the important, in-demand, and scarcest of the Raymond monographs, this was the last of the works written to update Doughty including corrections and additions.

418. Clapp, George (Hubbard) and Howard R. Newcomb. THE UNITED STATES CENTS OF THE YEARS 1795, 1796, 1797, AND 1800. 1947. 4to, original blue and black cloth. 74 pp. 4 fine photographic plates. Cellophane tape glue residue on the inside covers and free endpapers, apparently a book cover had been attached. Otherwise VF. (175.00)

C-S 12274 Inkstamp on inside cover of Hathaway & Bowers. Another copy is offered earlier in the Lutomski consignment. It is decidedly usual to see two copies of this reference offered in one sale. Always in major demand.

419. Coffee, Jr., John M. and Harold V. Ford (compilers and editors). **THE ATWOOD-COFFEE CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES AND CANADIAN TRANSPORTATION TOKENS**. Fourth Edition. Volume One: The Listing. 1983. 8vo, maroon cloth, gilt. 548 pp. Vals. Nearly Mint. (20.00)

C-S 13981*. A production of the American Vecturist Association, this standard reference work "Describes in detail and gives the approximate market value of every known transportation token issued in the United States ..., U.S. Possessions, and Canada, up to June, 1982. Includes an Index providing instant identification of any token."

420. Criswell, Jr., Grover and Clarence L. **CONFEDERATE AND SOUTHERN STATES CURRENCY: A Descriptive Listing, Including Rarity, and Prices**. 1957, 1st edition. 8vo, brown cloth. 277 pp. Ills. Nearly VF. (20.00)

C-S 13447*, "A handy guidebook with prices for the collector." Includes the 1958-59 price supplement.

421. Crosby, Sylvester. **EARLY COINS OF AMERICA**. 1965 TAMS reprint of the 1875 original. 4to, maroon cloth. 378 pp. 10 pls. VF. (30.00)

An exact reproduction of an 1875 Crosby, no new forewords, afterwords, or appendixes.

422. Curto, James J. **MILITARY TOKENS OF THE UNITED STATES 1866-1969**. 1970. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 304 pp. Ills. Vals. But for some slight wear on the back cover, VF. (25.00)

C-S 14002. After the Sutler token era ended, military tokens were issued by Post Traders in 1876, the PX in beginning in 1895, NCO clubs, Officers clubs, etc. This illustrated catalogue gives descriptions, metal, and values. A copy which we offered in our fifth sale was one of the most heavily pursued items we have ever offered.

423. Early American Coppers. **PENNY-WISE**. 42 of the first 47 issues from September 15, 1974 (Volume I, Number 1) to March 15, 1975 (Volume IX, Number 2). In 3 binders. Fine and better. (100.00)

The first 6 issues are one-sided photocopies. 2 other issues are photocopied - Volume III, Number 6 and Volume V, Number 4. Another issue is present in photocopy, but is a duplicate of a regular copy which is present. The missing issues are Volume V, number 5; Volume VI, Number 2; Volume VI, Numbers 5 & 6; and Volume VII, Number 4.

The issues are generally inserted from back to front in the binders, although some issues are bound out of order. The purchaser will want to remove these from the binders and reinsert them in the correct order. NOTE: we believe that each issue is complete, but as there are nearly 2000 pages here, we cannot guarantee it to be so. We noted a comment in the earlier issues that only 175 original copies were produced in the early years.

Since 1967 there has been no more vital nor more important numismatic periodical anywhere than PENNY-WISE. The bi-monthly has been at the forefront of research for collectors of large cents and half cents. The issues contain scholarly articles, basic information, discoveries of new varieties, controversy, humor, good fellowship, observations of the numismatic scene, reminiscences, and my favorite - Denis Loring's annual A.N.A. convention diary. Individual issues of this journal are so coveted that it truly is an occasion when any significant number becomes available. Although one does not have to be a copper enthusiast to be enthralled by these issues, it is virtually impossible not to become one after reading these. These issues will be eagerly sought after.

424. Edkins, Donald O. (Compiler.) **EDKINS' CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COAL COMPANY STORE SCRIP (TOKENS)**. 1977, 1st ed. 8vo, green CaC. 462 pp. 19 pls. Nearly Mint. (25.00)

C-S 14011. Published by the Catalogue Committee of The National Scrip Collectors Association, more than 10,000 different pieces are described in detail and given "an approximate market value, through a rarity scale rating".

425. Friedberg, Robert. **PAPER MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES**. 1953, 1st edition. 4to, green cloth gilt. 128 pp. Ills. Vals. The hinges are weakened. Fine. (35.00)

The elusive first edition. Many currency collectors have begun to collect all the "Friedberg" editions, much as many coin collectors have attempted to assemble complete sets of Redbooks. Unmarked, clean first editions are decidedly scarce and in demand.

426. Fuld, George and Melvin. **U.S. CIVIL WAR STORE CARDS**. 1975, 2nd ed. Quarterman reprint. 8vo, red cloth. 615, 30 pp. Ills. Near Mint. (35.00)

The definitive reference; the new edition includes "New Finds and Corrections" from the journal of the CWTs. Important.

427. Gould, Maurice M. **MERCHANT COUNTERSTAMPS ON AMERICAN SILVER COINS**. 1962. 12mo, CaC. 16 pp. Ills. pls. Fine. (15.00)

"A" descriptive catalog of the various counterstamps and countermarks impressed on United States and Spanish-American silver coins by Merchants and others for the purpose of advertising. This modest monograph is still eagerly pursued. WITH COUNTERSTAMPED U.S. LARGE CENTS by Kenneth Hallenbeck, Jr., a 1965 reprint from THE NUMISMATIST

428. Hillcrest Enterprises (Jack Collins, Malcolm Varner, and Michael A. Graham). [JAMES E. PECK Estate] Mail Auction Sale Number One. A Splendid Collection of Large Cents. September 24, 1968. 12mo, printed tan CaC. 32 pp. 207 lots. Prices inked in margin. 2 photographic plates. The two photographic plates have come unglued, otherwise VF. (25.00)

The edition for the thoroughly catalogued grouping of large cents "with the photographic plates is very scarce, only 100 copies were produced. Contrary to the advertisement in the rear of the catalogue, no Library or Deluxe editions were produced for this sale." (the quoted information is from Jack Collins' July 4, 1987 sale catalogue, lot 535.)

429. King, E.A. **MASONIC CHAPTER PENNIES**. 1972 Quarterman reprint of the 1930 original. 360 pp. 23 pls. The covers show some slight wear and soiling, otherwise VF. (20.00)

C-S 13750. The original edition was intended to catalogue the Albert Hanauer collection, and others, which were donated to the Museum of the House of the Temple in Washington, D.C., and apparently remains there today. This is a detailed descriptive cataloguing alphabetically by state and also includes the Canadian issues.

430. Lee, Kenneth. CALIFORNIA GOLD. DOLLARS, HALF DOLLARS, QUARTER DOLLARS. 1979. 120 pp. 4to, blue leatherette, gilt. Valuation list. Frontis. Ills. Nearly Mint. (30.00)
C-S 12474. This is an illustrated descriptive listing of the varieties of California fractional gold, most of which were in Lee's personal collection. Incidentally this quality work was produced by the estimable George Kolbe.
431. Miller, Donald M. A CATALOGUE OF U.S. STORE CARDS OR MERCHANTS TOKENS. The Money of the Merchants. A Part of the Unofficial Coinage of the U.S. 1962. 12mo, green CaC. 100 pp. 1 pl. Fine. (20.00)
C-S 14044. This still sought-after work is organized alphabetically by state, with a complete index by merchant, and with valuations in two grades.
432. Muscalus, John A. PAPER MONEY IN SHEETS. 1949. Small 4to, CaC. 106 plates. Nearly VF. (15.00)
Generally, the most sought after Muscalus publication on paper money.
433. Newcomb, Howard R. UNITED STATES COPPER CENTS, 1816-1857. 1956, 2nd edition. 4to, maroon cloth, gilt. 280 pp. Ills. 11 plates. The covers are Fine with the contents better. (45.00)
C-S 12326. After the 1944 edition, Stack's, under the name NUMISMATIC REVIEW issued reprints in 1956 and again in 1963. Apparently, only 500 of each of the 1956 and 1963 editions were printed. Both are quite scarce. The only notable difference between the 1944 original and both the 1956 and 1963 reprints is that these two reprints are slightly smaller than the original.
434. Newcomb, Howard R. UNITED STATES CENTS 1816-1857. 1963, 3rd ed. 4to, red pebbled cloth, gilt. 284 pp. 11 pls. But for adhesive residue from cellophane tape of a book cover on the inside covers, nearly Mint. (35.00)
C-S 12326. This is one of the nicest 1963 editions we have seen.
435. Newman, Eric. THE EARLY PAPER MONEY OF AMERICA. 1967, 1st ed. 4to, cloth. 359 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (25.00)
C-S 13309" The first edition of this standard reference covers the "historical, statistical, and descriptive [aspects of] paper money from 1686 to 1789". Over 500 issues are included. This is a classic reference from one of America's great numismatic researchers who was the 1989 winner of the Numismatic Bibliomania Society's Armand Champa Award for Excellence in the Field of Numismatic Literature.
436. Newman, Eric P. and Kenneth R. Bressett. THE FANTASTIC 1804 DOLLAR. 1962. 8vo, tan cloth. 144 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)
This standard reference has become quite scarce in nice condition.
437. New Netherlands/Seaby. [NN Sale 62: The NAFTZGER Collection] An Important collection of Superb Early large Cents. November 14-15, 1973. 105 pp. 1066 lots. Estimate sheet. 48 pls. The spine is chipped at the bottom. What appears to be cover wear is the result of the printing process. Overall, the covers are nearly VF. The contents are nearly Mint. (25.00)
Most of the 285 cents were census coins. "Not only does this group rank well above all of our early copper sales, but we frankly believe it to be the finest public offering of early United States Large Cents ever held." Meticulously catalogued with thorough provenancing. 14 of the plates show both sides of 210 cents. This is a core sale for the large cent buff (if you happen to collect large cents in the buff).
438. Overton, Al C. EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES 1794-1836. 1967, first edition. 8vo, maroon cloth. 349 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. VF. (40.00)
Signed by Overton on the front flyleaf. The first edition evidently contains some information not available in subsequent editions. Always in demand. A nice copy.
439. Overton, Al C. EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES. 1970, revised edition, third printing. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 274 pp. Ills. Near Mint. (35.00)
A fascinating work, though clearly esoteric and of no real interest. Mr. Overton, though definitely dedicated to this ephemera, has obviously wasted his time. There can be little doubt that the only people who could possibly be interested in bust halves would have to be "nuts".
440. Pine Tree Auction Company. THE EARLY AMERICAN COPPERS SOCIETY CONVENTION AUCTION SALE. February 15, 1975. 4to, pictorial CaC. 133 pp. 1079 lots. 33 pls. But for 3 spots of green die from shelf contact with the 1953 Friedberg paper money book, VF. (75.00)
"This sale featured the extraordinary collection of Connecticut cents formed by Q. David Bowers. The text was meticulously over a period of three months by Walter Breen, and represents the finest catalogue ever produced for this series. It is an absolute must for the library of every serious collector of Colonials" wrote Jack Collins in his July 4, 1987 sale.
441. Raymond, Wayte. EARLY NEW YORK CITY AND STATE MERCHANTS' TOKENS 1789-1850. 1936. 12mo, blue heavy CaC. 24 pp. Ills. 2 plates. Fine. (20.00)
C-S 14050. By far the scarcest of the Raymond monographs, this describes with illustrations of both sides of 137 of these tokens.
442. Raymond, Wayte. 6 Important Bi-Monthly Monographs from the COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL Series. 12mo, CaC. VF. (25.00)
1. Newman, Eric. THE 1776 CONTINENTAL CURRENCY COINAGE with VARIETIES OF THE FUGIO CENT. July-August 1952. C-S 12142.
 2. Breen, Walter. PROOF COINS STRUCK BY THE UNITED STATES MINT 1817-1921. May-June 1953. C-S 12251

3. Kenney, Richard. **EARLY AMERICAN MEDALISTS AND DIE SINKERS** Prior to the Civil War. January-February 1954. C-S 15064.
4. Breen, Walter. **THE UNITED STATES PATTERNS OF 1792**. March-April 1954. 12442
5. Breen, Walter. **THE UNITED STATES MINOR COINAGES 1793-1916**. May-June 1954. C-S 12253.
6. Breen, Walter. **THE SECRET HISTORY OF THE GOBRECHT COINAGES 1836-1840**. September-October, November-December 1954. C-S 12252.

The information in these monographs is still of great utility and should be in every numismatic library.

443. Schenkman, David E. (ed.) A SURVEY OF AMERICAN TRADE TOKENS. 1975. 493 pp. Ills. VF. (30.00)

This is the sixth volume in the series **GLEANINGS FROM THE NUMISMATIST**, this anthology consists of numerous reprinted articles divided into the following sections: Indian and Post Trader Tokens, Early Store Cards, Trade Checks, Hard Rubber Tokens and Medals, Transportation Tokens, Fraternal Tokens, Tokens and Medals Relating to Numismatics, and Miscellaneous Token and Medal Literature.

444. Sheldon, William H. EARLY AMERICAN CENTS 1793-1814. An Exercise in Descriptive Classification with Tables of Rarity and Value, With the Collaboration of H.K. Downing and M.H. Sheldon. 1949. 331 pp. 51 collotype plates. VF. (75.00)

2500 copies were originally printed. This most influential work is quite elusive in nice condition.

445. Sheldon, William H. PENNY WHIMSY. A Revision of EARLY AMERICAN CENTS. 1965 reprint of the 1958 original edition. 8vo, tan cloth. 340 pp. 51 fine pls. Nearly VF. (85.00)

C-S 12341. Little can be written any more that would shed any new light on this core reference.

446. Superior Stamp & Coin Co. The DR. CHARLES L. RUBY Collection, Part 1. February 11 - 13, 1974. 4to, CaC with embossed foil medallion. 213 pp. 2143 lots. 72 pls. Minute chipping at base of backstrip, else VF. (20.00)

A major sale of large cents, half cents, and colonials catalogued by Walter Breen. Because of the large number of these sales used for reference, it has become increasingly difficult to obtain nice copies of this important sale.

447. Taxay, Don. MONEY OF THE AMERICAN INDIANS and other Primitive Currencies of the Americas. 1970. 8vo, russet cloth. 158 pp. 38 pls. Nearly Mint. (20.00)

C-S 1598. This comprehensive study of aboriginal coinage of the Americas is both scholarly and readable. It is perhaps the most user-friendly of the works on this topic. This may be the scarcest of the Taxay references.

448. Van Allen, Leroy and A. George Mallis. MORGAN & PEACE SILVER DOLLARS. The Comprehensive Catalogue and Encyclopedia of U.S. Morgan and Peace Silver Dollars. 1981, 3rd printing. 4to, black cloth. 316 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. VF. (50.00)

C-S 12352. This revised edition contained many new die varieties and additional historical information. In addition to being a die variety guide like Bolender, Overton, and Sheldon, this includes background of the coinage; the minting process; cleaning, grading, and photographing dollars; and the GSA sale of Carson City dollars.

I have never understood why the collecting of Morgan dollars by die variety has not reached the frenzy of the large cent and bust halves. There are over 1000 different varieties. They are a ninety percent silver coin. Virtually every dealer has circulated silver dollars for sale for less than \$10.00; some have thousands of them. Dealers do not check for varieties. It seems that this is untapped field that can provide a great deal of enjoyment with virtually no downside risk.

449. Van Belkum, Louis. NATIONAL BANKS OF THE NOTE ISSUING PERIOD 1863-1935. 1968. 8vo, tan cloth. 408 pp. VF. (12.00)

C-S 13532. This useful, practical one volume reference lists all the chartered banks (including name changes) by state, city, amount of currency issued and outstanding.

450. Vlack, Robert A. EARLY AMERICAN COINS. 1965, 2nd ed. 8vo, light green cloth. 120 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers are soiled, else Fine with the contents VF. (25.00)

C-S 12164. Despite the pricing being out of date, this handy little one volume jewel is still eagerly sought after and widely used. Important.

Part II: Foreign and General Numismatic Literature

451. Brunk, Gregory G. (ed). WORLD COUNTERMARKS ON MEDIEVAL AND MODERN COINS. 1976. 8vo, cloth. 401 pp. Ills. VF. (35.00)

A Quartermaster anthology of articles reprinted from **THE NUMISMATIST** featuring the works of Frank Duffield and Howland Wood.

452. Carson, R.A.G. COINS OF THE WORLD. 1963. Thick 8vo, gray cloth. 642 pp. 64 fine pls. VF. (30.00)

C-S 53. A scholarly yet readable historical survey of ancient, medieval and modern numismatics. This unequalled, indispensable work belongs in every numismatic library. A classic.

The series of Davenport "taler" books have been the standard references for the series for decades. Not only do the Davenport works illustrate both sides of the listed crowns which are fully described, but they are also especially useful for the listings of and the translations of the inscriptions.

453. Davenport, John S. THE DOLLARS OF AFRICA, ASIA & OCEANIA. 1969. 8vo, silver cloth. 208 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

C-S 8077. This volume, which replaced the small black flexible leatherette volume from the Whitman series is of special value for Asian and Arabic talers.

454. Davenport, John S. **EUROPEAN CROWNS 1484-1600**. 1977. 8vo, red cloth. 330 pp. Ills. VF. (25.00)

C-S 7890*. This volume covers Davenport numbers 8001-8899. This is eagerly sought after because of its being a quality English language reference for a very scarce time period within this series.

455. Davenport, John S. **EUROPEAN CROWNS 1600-1700**. 8vo, maroon pebbled cloth. 633 pp. Ills. But for the slightest rub on the bottom of the spine, VF with the contents nearly Mint. (100.00)

C-S 7889*. This volume, which covers Davenport numbers 3001-5000, is by far the scarcest and the most continually sought-after Davenport reference.

456. Davenport, John S. **EUROPEAN CROWNS 1700-1800**. 1961. 8vo, maroon cloth. 334 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

C-S 7888*. This volume covers Davenport numbers 1001-1076.

457. Davenport, John S. **EUROPEAN CROWNS SINCE 1800**. 1947. 8vo, purple pebbled cloth. 193 pp. Ills. With scarce errata sheets. Fine. (15.00)

C-S 7886*. This was the Davenport's first separately published volume in the taler series.

458. Davenport, John S. **GERMAN CHURCH AND CITY TALERS 1600-1700**. 1975, 2nd ed. 8vo, black cloth. 351 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

C-S 9053*. The second edition covers Davenport numbers 5001-5999.

459. Davenport, John S. **GERMAN SECULAR TALERS 1600-1700**. 1976. 8vo, gray cloth. 558 pp. Ills. VF. (40.00)

C-S 9054*. This volume, which covers Davenport numbers 6001-7904, is the standard reference for this particularly popular series. Quite eagerly sought.

460. Davenport, John S. **GERMAN TALERS 1500-1600**. 1979. 8vo, blue cloth. 422 pp. Ills. VF. (30.00)

C-S 9055*. This volume covers Davenport numbers 8901-10063. We have found this title to be surprisingly scarce.

461. Davenport, John S. **GERMAN TALERS 1700-1800**. 1979, 3rd ed. 8vo, black cloth. 416 pp. Ills. VF. (30.00)

C-S 9052*. This volume covers Davenport numbers 1901-2951. The third edition is rather elusive.

462. Davenport, John S. **GERMAN TALERS SINCE 1800**. 1949, 1st ed. 8vo, gray pebbled cloth. 206 pp. Ills. VF. (15.00)

C-S 9051*. This covers Davenport numbers 501-996.

463. Davenport, John S. **SILVER GULDEN 1559-1763**. 1982. 8vo, green cloth. 383 pp. Ills. VF. (45.00)

This scarce volume catalogues all of the guldentalers, the 2/3 talers, 60 kreutzers, 16 gute groschen, and other similar denominations for the period listed in the title although there are some other earlier pieces listed as far back as 1608. 1032 coins are catalogued in the best English language reference for the field. The copy in our previous sale was among the most heavily sought items we have ever offered.

464. Davenport, John S. **THE TALERS OF THE AUSTRIAN NOBLE HOUSES**. 1972. 12mo, blue CaC. 64 pp. Ills. VF. (10.00)

C-S 8295*. This elusive volume covers 149 talers.

465. Harris, Robert P. **PILLARS AND PORTRAITS: A Catalogue of Spanish Silver Coins, 1732 to 1826**. 1968, 1st ed. 16mo, tan cloth. 96 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)

C-S 11473 (for the second edition). The best compact, comprehensive guide for collectors of the half real to 4 reales, although 8 reales are included. Still quite useful and in demand, despite the outdated pricing.

466. Raymond, Wayte. **3 Monographs about Western Hemisphere Coinage**. Ills. Vals. Fine. (15.00)

1. THE COINS OF CENTRAL AMERICA. Silver and Copper. 1822-1940. 1941. CCS-Number Five.
2. THE COINS OF SOUTH AMERICA. Silver and Copper. 1942. CCS-Number Nine.
3. SPAIN. SPANISH AMERICAN MINTS. FILIPINAS. 1956. Coins of the World Special Printing.
4. Also FRANCE AND COLONIES. 1956. Coins of the World Special Printing.

These individual monographs were issued between publications of the various editions of Raymond's COINS OF THE WORLD.

467. Scott, J[ames] Gavin. **BRITISH COUNTERMARKS ON COPPER & BRONZE COINS**. 1975. 8vo, blue cloth. 179 pp. Vals. 10 pls. Better than VF. (15.00)

C-S 9909. An historical and legal background to the series, most of which were countermarked between 1790 and 1890, followed by a listing of over 600 countermarks on over 1200 coins, over 400 of which are attributed. Also included is biographical information about most of the issuers. An appendix lists nearly a thousand examples of countermarked names and initials.

468. Sheppard, T[homas] and J[ohn] F. Musham. **MONEY SCALES AND WEIGHTS**. 1975 Spink reprint of the series which appeared in the NUMISMATIC CIRCULAR between 1920 and 1923. 221 pp. Ills. Better than VF. (35.00)

C-S 16067. Money scales were of particular importance for the centuries when coins contained their full bullion value. This well-respected work is a standard reference for this field in which few quality references tend to be accessible

EDWARD COGAN [1803-1884], "our first coin dealer, has been called the father of U.S. coin collecting." (Adams, p. 17). Born in England, he came to the U.S. when he was 50 opening a business in books and paintings. One of Cogan's friends interested him in assembling a complete set of large cents. It is worthy of note that the "father of U.S. coin collecting" did not start to collect until he was 53 and did not have his first sale until he was 55. Joseph Levick in the November 1868 AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NUMISMATICS noted that in the late 1850's local collectors and those visiting from other cities used to gather regularly at Cogan's shop in Philadelphia "to see what was to be seen and learn any news that might be stirring in the numismatic world." (p. 55) Cogan's vitality can be shown by his having conducted his 70 sales between the ages of 55 and 76.

His specialties were early silver, large cents, half cents, colonials, and patterns. Of importance, Cogan issued the first American catalogue with photographic plates - the June 23, 1869 Mortimer MacKenzie sale. Following are 46 of the 70 sales catalogued by Cogan: post-sale priced copies, rare sales, some unopened copies, and many important sales.

In the May 1884 NUMISMA Ed. Frossard wrote of Cogan:

Quick to perceive the quality of coins, of an impartial and unbiased disposition, his coin sale catalogues ... were always considered as most reliable [and] his descriptions unquestioned. Many of our best collections were ... the result of his good taste, fidelity, [and] reliability. To show the high esteem in which Mr. Cogan was held by our best collectors, ... he was made an honorary member of the American Archaeological and Numismatic Society, an honor never before or since conferred on a coin dealer. (p. 4)

469. Cogan, Edward. The "MONTREAL" Collection. April 3-5, 1871. 73 pp. 1758 lots. 1 HELIOTYPE PLATE. (50.00)

Adams, B. Adams/Attinelli, R-7. According to Attinelli, Alfred Sandham, the famous Canadian numismatist and author of the classic 1869 reference COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA, probably owned and catalogued the collection. Surprisingly only 33 lots of Canadiana are offered, but some are of great significance: the gold "Beaver Club Instituted Montreal, 1875" medal (\$33.00), bronze Shakespeare McGill College medal, 1838 Canadian "side view" penny, then "probably the rarest coin of the whole Canadian series". Much quality ancient Greek and Roman coinage. 270 lots of English from Edward (901 A.D) onward, organized by monarch. Contains some U.S. Generally Cogan produced between 50 and 100 copies of his plated catalogues.

470. Cogan, Edward. Sale 28: EMIL CAUFFMAN. May 3-4, 1871. 73 pp. 1758 lots. With Prices Realized glued in the margins. The covers are separated, but present. (20.00)

Adams, B. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. Excellent early dollars, with good proof seated dollars. Excellent early silver with many proofs. "the most beautiful" 1792 half dime. Excellent patterns and Washingtonia. The separately printed PRL has been cut and glued onto the corresponding catalogue page.

471. Cogan, Edward. Sale 29: BENJAMIN BETTS. June 1-2, 1871. 45 pp. 904 lots. The covers chipped at periphery and backstrip. The contents clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 1804 proof \$10.00, 1860 \$20.00 Longacre pattern, 1860 "Mormon" \$5.00. Rare NY copper colonials. 1796 Myddleton tokens in silver and copper. 100 lots of large cents. Good Washingtonia: 1792 thick planchet cent - "as fine as any ever offered". 1782 "Libera Soror" American Revolutionary Peace medal. Adams' "C+" rating is conservative.

472. Cogan, Edward. Sale 42: Catalogue of Coins and Medals. May 7, 1875. 27 pp. 517 lots. The contents Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 1794 dollar "one of the best". Rare patterns: ring dollar in copper, 3 1859 halves "with this obverse have not to my knowledge ever been offered before at auction". A BU 1773 Virginia halfpenny. 1782 Holland/America Peace Medal. 1694 Carolina "elephant". One of six known 1872 "Amazonian" proof pattern dollars brought \$125.

473. Cogan, Edward. Sale 46: [LEWIS WHITE] Catalogue of an Interesting Collection of Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. April 17-18, 1876. 39 pp. 813 lots. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Mintmarked silver. Good dollars: 2 1794s, 1851 proof. What was then believed to have been a legitimate 1804 half; for years, Max Mehl insisted that a genuine 1804 half must exist. 1823 and 1827 quarters. 1800 and 1804 dimes. 1805 half dime. 1799 large cent "the date excellent". 1792 half dime "beautiful" unc. 1694 Carolina copper. Adams' "C+" rating is quiet conservative. Quite important as a priced record.

474. Cogan, Edward. Sale 51. [WILLIAM J. JENKS] Catalogue of a Very Interesting Collection of Gold, Silver, and Copper Coins. April 12-13, 1877. 42 pp. 961 lots. The contents clean and Fine. (25.00)

Adams, A- with an "A" rating for large cents and patterns. Ex-Katen (no sale number indicated), lot 536. 122 superb lots of large cents, 122 lots: 1793 chain "rev. very perfect", 1800/1799 "bright red uncirculated Cent and without exception the best of this type I have seen" (both of which were purchased by Ed. Frossard although it was not indicated here). 14 proof half cents. Rare Connecticut and New Jersey varieties. Pine Tree and Oak Tree shillings. Good bust dollars. Many quality bust halves. 1827 pattern quarter in copper. 300 (!) patterns. 1792 Washington half in silver.

Frossard noted that this was "one of the best attended sales ever held in New York", adding that "a Nova Caesarea cent with the date under the beam sold for \$125." (NUMISMA, May 1877, p. [4]) A superior sale, important as a priced record.

475. Cogan, Edward. Sale 52. Catalogue of a Miscellaneous Assortment of Gold, Silver, and Copper Coins and Medals.... May 17-18, 1877. 44 pp. 964 lots. A PRICED COPY. (20.00)

Adams, C+. 75 & 97 lots of large cents with an 1839 "Booby Head" cent - "without exception the finest ... impression I have ever seen." A 1796 half cent, "Believed to be a casting in nickel. Chalmers shilling and sixpence. 3 Franklin & Hall colonial Pennsylvania notes from 1764 - "as perfect as when struck." 111 numismatic auction catalogues from 1855 to 1872 with useful informative text.

476. Cogan, Edward. Sale 52. Catalogue of a Miscellaneous Assortment of Gold, Silver, and Copper Coins and Medals.... May 17-18, 1877. 44 pp. 964 lots. (12.00)

ANOTHER AS ABOVE, BUT UNPRICED

477. Cogan, Edward. Sale 55: Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of Silver and Copper American and Foreign Coins and Medals. November 7-9, 1877. 68 pp. 1485 lots. (20.00)

Adams, C+. A "unique" uniface \$20.00 pattern, the metal not specified. 1797 half dollar. Much foreign. 1796 AU dime. Many politicals with some important Lincolnia. "... we have ourselves spent seven consecutive hours, at Mr. Cogan's house in examining, admiring, and studying the medals only, we feel authorized to endorse his statement. (Cogan - "The medals are very numerous and very rare")" (Ed. Frossard. NUMISMA, November 1877, p. [8])

478. Cogan, Edward. Sale 56: Catalogue of a Fine Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins..... November 30-December 1, 1877. 37 pp. 858 lots. (15.00)

Adams, B-. 150 patterns, many rare including an 1839 half. Nice but not rare bust halves. 60 lots of large cents with good middle and late dates. Proof half cents: 1843, 2 1847s, 1850, and 1852. Gold dollars: 1836 proof, 1849 "perfectly" unc. 1849 Mormon \$2.50. Nice Greek and 10 lots of Byzantine gold.

479. Cogan, Edward. Sale 58: Catalogue of a Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals.. January 23-24, 1878. 46 pp. 1063 lots. The contents are better than VG. (12.00)

Adams, C. Ex-Durst 5, lot 43. 1797 half dollar. Mintmarked half dollars. 77 lot of large cents - "some really very fine specimens of Cents [which] in the main have been cleaned". Rare Treadwell, Kissam & Co. "New York Grand Canal, opened 1823" storecard.

480. Cogan, Edward. Sale 60: [JOHN SWAN RANDALL] Catalogue of an Exceedingly large and Valuable Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. May 6-9, 1878. 105 pp. 2458 lots. The contents clean and Fine. (30.00)

Adams, B-. Rather peculiarly, only the large cents lots are priced. Since this is an historically important sale for the 1817 and 1818 "Randall hoard" cents in bulk lots - "all cents ... have not been injured by circulation, but by corrosion from being kept in the damp" - the pricing of these hoard cents is significant. Mintmarked silver. 1799 large cent "a very excellent impression". Nice numismatic literature. An 1804 dollar "altered from 1801, and the best altered piece I have ever seen of this date." A General Lewis Cass political token, "only two struck". Carson City mint seated dollars. Extensive mintmarked silver coinage in all series. 100 lots of undistinguished large cents. An unc lettered edge Kentucky cent. Some good numismatic literature. There is also much foreign coinage offered here.

Relative to the Randall hoard cents Frossard noted that "In the sale, several remaining lots of the date 1818, bright and uncirculated, sold at the fair average of \$7 per hundred." (Ed. Frossard. NUMISMA, July 1878, p. [5])

481. Cogan, Edward. Sale 61: Catalogue of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. June 27-28, 1878. 51 pp. 904 lots. The contents clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Ex-Wilson 2, lot 954. Good Washingtonia. Sutler's cards - "The Largest and best Assortment of these Cards I have ever offered." Some choice nineteenth century Mexican silver minors. Mexican proclamation pieces. Excellent pre-1800 numismatic literature. Presidential and political tokens. Some good Washingtonia with a Perkins medal and an 1808 Washington Benevolent Society medal in silver.

OF NOTE: For many years in the U.S. the so-called "American system" was used to indicate the diameter of coins. This was a 4 inch bar divided into 64 units. For example a current small cent would be a size 12. However, in this sale Cogan introduced the "Metric Coin Scale" for indicating the diameter of coins in millimeters. Apparently W.B. Whetmore must have suggested the concept as his name is printed following "Metric Coin Scale".

482. Cogan, Edward. Sale 63: [JAMES B. CLEMENS] Catalogue of a Very Valuable Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals.... October 22-25, 1878. 101 pp. 2212 lots. (15.00)

Adams, B+. The first 1838-0 half dollar ever to be auctioned was described as "A beautiful proof. Very rare and desirable" which brought \$18.00. 2 1796 and 2 1797 halves. Much pre-1800 gold. Extensive mintmarked silver. Half dimes: unc 1794, 1797 16" "the best I've yet seen", 1830 and 1831 proofs. Declaration of Independence medal. The 1826 Erie Canal medal in copper. 103 lots of large cents, noteworthy in the priced format as the 1799 described as "a really very good cent" is indicated to have been a counterfeit. Important American silver medals. 1796 half cent - "one of the best I've yet seen." Also 9 proof half cents: 1836, 1841-1846, 1848. Many patterns. NE shilling. 1851 & 1852 proof dollars. An 1847 Russian proof set. Rare plated catalogues. An exceptionally useful and important sale in the priced format.

483. Cogan, Edward. Sale 64: The Collection of Coins of the Late JAMES E. ROOT, Esq. December 16-18, 1878. 71 pp. 1633 lots. The contents are clean and Fine. (30.00)

Adams, A with 4 "A" ratings for large cents, half cents, early silver, and British. The excellent large cents highlighted by the Mickley 1793 [MS-70] chain "Ameri" and the 1795 large cent lettered edge, "the best finished impression ever offered" both purchased by Loring Parmelee (as indicated in a named copy of the sale which we had sold previously). Excellent half cents with an unc 1793 and a 1797 "broad milling". Proof dollars: 1848, 1851, 1852, 1858. The 1796 half (\$255) "the finest impression by far I have seen;" was purchased for Parmelee. 1852-0 proof half. The "finest known 1804 quarter, ex-Stenz. 1827 proof quarter. Superior dimes and half dimes. Much important English milled coinage. The

Washington 1792 "Roman head" cent, purchased by Dr. Anthon for \$115. Gobrecht dollars: 2 1836 and an 1838. A most important sale of a great cabinet, an especially useful reference in the priced format.

"This catalogue was eagerly sought by collectors, and the edition was promptly exhausted. Altogether this was one of the finest collections ever offered by Mr. Cogan" (Ed. Frossard. NUMISMA, January 1879, p. [4])

484. Cogan, Edward. Sale 66: The Collection of Coins and Medals of MICHAEL MOORE, Esq.. May 1-2, 1879. 73 pp. 1120 lots. (15.00)

Adams, A- with "A" ratings for ancients and British. Some good Washingtonia with a Declaration of Independence medal, an Eccleston medal and a Voltaire medal. 80 lots of large cents and 32 lots of half cents. Superior, well-described ancient Greek silver and Roman coinage. Excellent medieval English. Some nice, rare Scottish. 1794 dollar. 1851 proof dollar. Nice European numismatic literature. This is a really nice copy.

"In cataloguing the ancient coins, Mr. Cogan, with an honesty of purpose and a modesty which others would have done well to imitate, had every piece examined by the most competent authorities, and withdrew at the request of the owner of the collection every piece on which rested the least suspicion." (Ed. Frossard. NUMISMA, May 1879, p. [8])

Other Nineteenth Century Catalogues

485. Bangs, Merwin & Co. [A.H. SATTERLEE and GEORGE B. MASON]. May 8-9, 1862. 26 pp. 643 lots. (20.00)

Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 75 lots of large cents. 70 lots of Satterlee's presidential medals with attributions from his then recently published book. 57 lots of storecards. Unc 1853 dime and half dime, each without arrows. The back cover contains an advertisement for Satterlee's book and a listing by George Lovett detailing the dies he engraved, how many of them had been destroyed.

486. Bangs, Merwin & Co. [A.H. SATTERLEE and GEORGE B. MASON]. August 7, 1862. 19 pp. 490 lots. (20.00)

Adams/Attinelli, R-7. A general offering of U.S. silver and copper coins, colonials, storecards and medals. Many unc bust and seated halves.

George Lovett, who engraved the dies for the Confederate cents, advertised on the rear cover that medals would be struck in all metals "from dies left with or inscribed by the subscriber."

487. Leeds, Henry H. & Co. Catalogue of Extraordinary Sale for Antiquarians and Others Embracing Medals ... Rare and Valuable Old Coins. December 24, 1863. 8 pp. 68 lots. (20.00)

Adams/Attinelli, R-7. Attinelli, "This sale consisted primarily of paintings and jewelry." The six numismatic lots realized \$5.26. This is excellent condition for such an early sale and of such delicate paper.

488. Bangs, Merwin & Co. [Samuel Carter, cataloguer.] SAMUEL CARTER'S Collection of Ancient and Modern Coins. March 22-25, 1880. 72 pp. 1975 lots. (20.00)

106 + 74 lots of large cents: VF 1799 with mostly unc middle and late dates. Good post 1825 half cents. Fair U.S. silver coinage: unc and proof 1837 no stars seated dimes, 1857 and 1858 proof sets. Good U.S. medals with 89 lots of Washingtonia with a Manly medal and several Sanson medals.

350 lots of well-catalogued Roman Imperial silver and bronzes including bronzes of Caligula with his three sisters on the reverse. Good ancient Greek. Carter noted that Gaston Feuardent (called by Frossard, "the most eminent judge of ancient coins in the U.S.") checked the authenticity and attributions of the ancients.

489. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 3] June 13-14, 1879. 63 pp. 1184 lots. (15.00)

Adams, C+. 2 groups of large cents keyed to Frossard's 1879 work on large cents. Nice Washingtonia, storecards, English & Scottish, ancients, and European coins and medals. A scarce early sale in the Frossard series.

490. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 6] Catalogue of American Coins and Medals. November 7, 1879. 28 pp. 702 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. 90 lots of large cents with a nice 1823/22. Rare Canadian tokens. Good Washingtonia. Immunis Columbia. Another scarcer Frossard sale.

491. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 9] Catalogue of Coins and Medals. June 5, 1880. 30 pp. 665 lots. (15.00)

Adams, C+. 1858 proof set. 6 piece set of 1873 pattern trade dollars (just like the set Wayne Gretzky purchased this year). Unc 1795 "thin planchet" large cent. 6 Indian zodiac silver rupees. This is a nice copy of an earlier Frossard sale.

492. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 48] DR. WILLIAM LEE & W.W. THURSTON. December 22, 1885. 52 pp. 986 lots. The back cover is missing. The front cover is nearly separated. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (45.00)

Adams, A. Lee's (author of the legendary work on Confederate currency) reference collection of Confederate currency "now offered entire, will be found very complete, and the notes generally in the finest condition." Also Lee's numismatic library: 1869 AMERICAN BOND DETECTOR, Frossard's NUMISMA complete in 9 volumes, Hart's 1851 PAPER-MONEY ANTERIOR TO THE REVOLUTION, 1870 Slaughter. Also of importance, Thurston's fractional currency - "The finest and largest collection ... ever offered at public auction." This important catalogue is in constant demand.

493. Frossard, Ed. Fifty-Eighth Sale. METZNER, TAYLOR, and HUNTINGTON. September 10, 1886. 24 pp. 500 lots. Unopened. (12.00)

Adams, C+. 70 lots of good large cents - "One of the best sets of [large] Cents offered for some time": 1793 "chain" on a heavy planchet, unc 1793 "wreath", Unc 1794.

494. Frossard, Ed. Sixty-Fourth Sale. U.S. Fractional Notes of E.B. STERLING. February 9, 1887. 25 pp. 551 lots. Unopened. (15.00)

Adams, B. Sterling, primarily known as a prominent philatelic dealer, attended most New York numismatic auctions a representative for bidders. 50 lots of Canadiana. Important dollars with bust dollar varieties: a 1794 "one of the best offered for a long time", 1838 proof, ex-Maris. Colonial and Continental currency - "The most complete collection offered in many years." Extensive fractional currency.

495. Frossard, Ed. **Sixty-Eighth Sale Auction sale of Postage and Revenue Stamps ... Fractional Currency ... Coins.** April 2, 1887. 16 pp. 400 lots. (10.00)

Adams, C-. Chiefly philatelic, this also includes 30 lots of good fractional currency and a few lots of coins.

496. Frossard, Ed. **Sixty-Ninth Sale: Russian Collection, Part III. WILLIAM B. EDWARDS and JUSTUS B. HAWLEY.** May 24-25, 1887. 52 pp. 981 lots. Unopened. (15.00)

Adams, B+. 100 lots of papal medals. 600 lots of ancient Greek and Roman coinage, and unusually large offering for the period, Willow Tree shilling. 1841 proof large cent, ex-Mickley. A Confederate "half dime" with useful text. The contents are unusually nice.

497. Frossard, Ed. **Seventy-Third Sale. The JONAS ETTINGER Collection.** October 12-13, 1887. 45 pp. 1077 lots. (12.00)

Adams, B-. Nice large cents with 1855-1857 proofs. 1836 Gobrecht dollar. 1694 Carolina "elephant". Chalmers shilling and sixpence. 1870 Slaughter.

498. Frossard, Ed. **Seventy-Fifth Sale. GEORGE WILLIAMSON and J.W. MARCH.** December 16-17, 1887. 46 pp. 893 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. 21 attributed 1795 half dollars! Some 1794 large cent varieties. Some rare Canadian tokens. 4 piece 1883 Hawaiian unc set. Thomas Jefferson's tea caddy.

499. Frossard, Ed. **Eightieth Sale. GENERAL RUSH C. HAWKINS and L. BAYARD SMITH.** March 9-10, 1888. 39 pp. 837 lots. Unopened. The contents nearly VF. (15.00)

Adams, B. Rare early proof sets: 1831, 1833, 1834, 1849, 1858. Unc Bechtler \$5.00 and \$2.50. 1840 proof quarter. P/1 unc 1794 half dime.

500. Frossard, Ed. **Ninety-First Sale. Foreign Copper and Silver Coins** March 30, 1889. 24 pp. 530 lots. The contents are separated from the covers. The contents are clean and Fine. (12.00)

Adams, C. 50 Siamese porcelain tokens. Medical medals. Foreign coinage. These were issued with blue card covers that have not held up well - they chip and crack easily. For this particular sale, this is a rather nice copy.

501. Frossard, Ed. **Sale 122. FREDERICK STEARNS. Catalogue of a Collection. Coins of all Ages and Countries. The Finds of a Curio Hunter.** February 9, 1894. 32 pp. 501 lots. Unopened. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Canadiana: Gloriam Regni, attributed Breton tokens. Unc "Booby Head" large cent. Ancient and European coinage.

502. Frossard, Ed. **Sale 144. W.H. JOHNSON and B.H. COLLINS. Collection of Coins and Medals of the United States.** March 2-3, 1897. 45 pp. 927 lots. (15.00)

Adams, A-. 137 lots of Collins' important large cents with strong early dates, most purchased in England from F.W. Lincoln.. Nice \$3.00s and early halves. Excellent bust dimes with a "gem" 1796. 2 unc 1794 half cents. Outstanding private and territorial gold - "probably more complete than any heretofore offered." A most impressive offering.

503. Harzfeld, S.K. **Harzfeld's Fourth Sale.** March 14, 1879. 27 pp. 710 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. A goloid metric dollar (25 minted). 1796 half dollar, 1831 & 1841 half cents, a circulated 1858 dollar, ancient Greek & Roman coinage.

504. Harzfeld, S.K. **[Sale 5] Coins and Medals.** June 5-6, 1879. 44 pp. 1094 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. 120 lots of large cents with 12 different attributed 1794 varieties. 53 lots of Washingtonia. Good storecards. Unc 1852 half dollar. 1804 dime. 1850 proof pattern trime. 160 lots of American medals in silver and bronze. 100 lots of ancient Roman coinage.

505. Harzfeld, S.K. **[Sale 6] Coins and Medals.** September 11-12, 1879. 38 pp. 1140 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C. 100 lots of large cents with good middle and late dates. 1862 proof set. Mintmarked silver coinage. Pistrucci's Waterloo medal. 105 lots of numismatic auction catalogues from 1859 onward.

506. Harzfeld, S.K. **[Eighth Sale].** December 30, 1879. 23 pp. 604 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C. West Virginia Soldier's Medal, 1737 Higley Broad Axe (then 3 known). Also relics and minerals.

507. Harzfeld, S.K. **[Eleventh Sale] FERGUSON HAINES.** April 9, 1880. 26 pp. 705 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. 70 lots of large cents. 1858 and 1877 proof sets. Good early half dimes. \$1000 1861 Montgomery Confederate banknote.

508. Harzfeld, S.K. **Harzfeld's Fourteenth Sale.** October 29, 1880. 28 pp. 711 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. Unc 1797 half dollar. A Harzfeld specialty: editorial criticism directed toward the mint director's lack of numismatic knowledge. Fractional currency shield.

509. Harzfeld, S.K. **Harzfeld's Fifteenth Sale: J.C. ROACH and J. COLVIN RANDALL.** November 26-27, 1880. 56 pp. 1390 lots. (25.00)

Adams, B+. "Comprising the superb collection of cents [of Roach and Randall]:" 1794 starred reverse, attributed 1794s, 2 unc 1796s, "nearly unc" 1799, quality cents throughout. 1879 Goloid metric set. 1851 and 1858 proof dollars. Good

silver minors. unc 1795 half cent. 5 gold proof sets from between 1859 & 1879. Exceptional U.S. gold with an 1875 proof gold dollar. Excellent numismatic literature with an 1852 Ormsby with 18 plates. By far, this was Harzfeld's best sale.

510. Haseltine, John W. Property of the late JOSEPH J. MICKLEY. January 31, 1879. 26 pp. 519 lots. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Excellent large cents: 1793 wreath cent, "the finest I have ever seen"; 2 high grade chain cents; 2 attributed 1794 uncs; 1821 and 1827 proofs with many proof late dates. many original proof half cents.

511. Leeds, Henry H. & Co. December 24, 1863. 8 pp. 68 lots. (15.00)

Adams/Attinelli, R-7. Although this sale consisted primarily of paintings and jewelry, it did contain 6 numismatic lots. This sale is quite rare.

512. Massamore, Dr. Geo. 34th Sale. The [PROF. J.L.] WILSON Stamp Collection. March 8, 1887. 15 pp. 369 lots. (50.00)

Adams, C-. While this sale is exclusively philatelic, it is necessary for completing the Massamore series. This rare catalogue is not in the ANS' holdings. In our fifth sale we sold 2 copies for \$250 and \$230 respectively. In our last sale, a copy brought \$48.00. Now that the advanced collectors are no longer pursuing this sale at high prices, this is a special opportunity to obtain a rare catalogue.

513. Massamore, Dr. Geo. 37th Sale. The W.L. CANTLER Collection. February 23, 1889. 17 pp. 507 lots. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Attributed Presidential medals, mintmarked halves (Remember that Heaton's 1893 book on mintmarks was still 4 years away), 1797 half dollar, 1783 Annapolis sixpence, 1659 Lord Baltimore sixpence.

514. Proskey, David. [Sale 3] Coins, Medals, Postage, Revenue Stamps. May 6-7, 1886. 42 pp. 1083 lots. (12.00)

Adams, B-. The catalogue begins with a biting 2 page Frossard-like assault on the Chapmans entitled, "The Chapmanese, the new language for Antiquaries, Numismatists and Philologists, and its mysterious progenitors." 67 lots of large cents "From an ex-Employe of the Mint" with mostly choice middle and late dates. Unc varieties of Hard Times tokens. Good Washingtonia, rare unc seated coinage from the 1880s, attributed Confederate notes and bonds. Campaign and political medals. A most useful catalogue.

515. Proskey, David. [Sale 5] HAINES - HAMLEN Collections. Stamps, Minerals, Shells, Coins, Eggs, Curios. March 29-30, 1887. 32 pp. 948 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C. Most of the sale is philatelically oriented. Numismatically: rare unc seated coinage from the 1880s, a set of large cents annotated by a Proskey paragraph hinting that one of Proskey caught one of his employees stealing from the firm and confiscated his "numismatic acquisitions".

516. Scott Stamp & Coin Company. 126th Auction Sale. April 2-3, 1894. 144 pp. 1238 lots. (10.00)

Exclusively philatelic.

517. Smith, Harlan P. and Henry G. Sampson. [Sale 1] Sale of Coins. January 17, 1880. 24 pp. 619 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C. 40 lots of fair large cents, the best a VG 1804. Silver dollars: EF 1798 small eagle 13 stars, 1851 & 1858 proofs, nice 1802 half dollar, choice branch mint seated halves. Many good seated silver minors. Some English hammered coinage.

518. Smith, Harlan P. and Henry G. Sampson. [Sale 2] Collection of Coins of the Late Charles A. Durand. July 29, 1880. 28 pp. 698 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. 100 lots of priced auction catalogues from 1858-1879, useful for their notations of rarity and scarcity. 1838 Gobrecht proof pattern silver half dollar. Branch mint half dollars and dimes. 65 lots of fair large cents.

519. Smith, Harlan P. and Henry G. Sampson. [Sale 4] Sale of Coins. February 28, 1881. 28 pp. 665 lots. (12.00)

Adams, C+. Good English hammered pennies with 3 of Edward the Confessor. A few English tokens with a proof copper Warwickshire Promissory token. Some good late date large cents. 122 lots of mostly priced auction catalogues from 1858 onward. 1841 proof half dime.

520. Steigerwalt, Charles. The FRED W. PORTER Collection. December 15 (actually held the on the 16th), 1893. 25 pp. 451 lots. (25.00)

Adams, C+. A Libertas Americana medal. Washington funeral medal in silver. Adams calls this "slim pickings". Quite scarce.

521. Steigerwalt, Charles. The CHAS. LUCKENBACH Collection. June 27, 1894. 30 pp. 649 lots. (25.00)

Adams, B-. 100+ lots of large cents with fair early dates. A "Wright & Bale" Washington store card in a large lot. Washington funeral medal in silver (from the Porter sale?). 1796 half cent. 1856 half cent in nickel. 1797 half dollar. Good numismatic literature with Steigerwalt's comments on the availability of his various publications.

522. Steigerwalt, Charles. The GEORGE T. CRAWFORD Collection. July 13, 1894. 28 pp. 640 lots. (25.00)

Adams, A-. 135 lots of excellent large cents: 11 1793s, 2 unc 1795s, 1797 "proof", 9 proofs from 1843 to 1857. Quality half cents. Good early gold. 1848 & 1849 proof sets. Excellent dollars: 1851, 1852, 1858. Excellent silver minors. "Atwood's hotel" token. A superior cabinet and a scarce sale.

523. Stobridge, William Harvey. Sale 1: WILLIAM A. LILLIENDAHL. May 26-28, 1862. 53 pp. 1230 lots. (50.00)

Adams, A-. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. THE POST-SALE CATALOGUE WITH THE PRICES TYPESET IN THE MARGIN. Extensive, excellent halves and quarters. Dimes: EF 1798 and 1825 proof. Good early half dimes: an 1805 and an unc 1794. An

"unusually fine" 1793 chain cent - the "Gilmore" cent. Strong middle date large cents including 1834 & 1841 proofs. 13 proof half cents from 1831 to 1855. 1792 Washington half dollar. Good Maryland colonials: Lord Baltimore shilling; Standish Barry threepence; Chalmers shilling, sixpence, and threepence. This scarce version of a significant early sale is especially important as a priced record of an important, comprehensive offering.

524. Strobridge, T.R. [Sale 1] June 17-19, 1878. 40 pp. 963 lots. (15.00)

Adams, B-. 1802/00 half cent. 1858 proof dollar. Several consignments of decent large cents. A Chalmers shilling. Colonial currency. Some rare W. H. Strobridge sales.

525. Woodward, W.E. Sale 4: The FINOTTI Collection of Coins and Medals. November 11-14, 1862. 88 pp. 1908 lots. Partially priced and named. The back cover missing. The contents are clean and Fine. (45.00)

Adams, A. Adams/Attinelli, R-4. According to Attinelli, this collection, Woodward's first in New York, was really his own property. Quoting from Edward Cogan's introduction, "I consider the collection the most valuable and interesting I have ever yet known offered for public competition." Comprehensive, excellent silver minors in all series with mintmarks indicated. Numerous Presidential and political medals. 187 lots of nice large cents (1817, 1820, 1823, 1831 and 5 other proofs) and good half cents (many proofs). 300+ store cards. 221 lots of stunning, well-catalogued colonials: excellent Mass. silver with 1652 Pine Tree 2 pence, 1778 "unique" Non Dependens Status, important Maryland silver, rare NY colonials, outstanding states coinage, the discovery "Clinton" cent (then 4 known). 135 lots of excellent Washingtonia: 1792 cent, 1792 silver half (then four known). 1855-0 proof half. An utterly magnificent cabinet.

526. Woodward, W.E. Sale 5: HENRY BROOKS, JEREMIAH COLBURN, REV. J.M. FINOTTI, DR. EDWARD M. FIELD, DR. AUGUST SHURTLEFF. April 28-May 1, 1863. 112 pp. 2569 lots. But for cornering on the bottom of the front cover and the first 16 leaves, Fine. (45.00)

Adams, A. Adams/Attinelli, R-4. From the introduction to the sale - "as an American collection, this is more extensive than any ever yet offered." 1850 proof set with an 1850-0 proof half. "Finest known" AU 1804 dime. Excellent silver minors with mintmarks indicated. Half dimes: 1805, and many early proofs. Hundreds of Presidential and political tokens: good "Lincolnia". 200 lots of strong large cents: 11 1793s, 1799 - "The finest ever offered", 1823 original. Good half cents (many proofs). 500+ store cards. Superb colonials: 40 lots of excellent Mass. silver with unc 1652 Pine Tree shilling "almost a proof". "The finest set of the Baltimore money ever offered for sale" - "finest" Lord Baltimore shilling, 2 Higley coppers, "Unique 1776 Pine Tree" copper, excellent states coinage with 2 1790 Albany Church pennies. Nearly 200 lots of excellent Washingtonia with 1792 cent and 1792 silver half, patterns, rare catalogues.

527. Woodward, W.E. Sale 6: JEREMIAH COLBURN, Esq.. October 20-24, 1863. 160 pp. 3202 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are missing. The contents are foxed and stained. (35.00)

Adams, A. Adams/Attinelli, R-5. Colburn, one of the founders of the Boston Numismatic Society, helped to produced the AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NUMISMATICS starting in 1871 during its Boston publication. Excellent half cents with 1793 "finest ever sold at auction". 150 lots of good large cents with 13 proofs. 230 lots of excellent colonials, good Mass. silver. 200 lots of Washingtonia. 330 lots of storecards. The "finest known" 1794 dollar brought \$285. A nice run of half dollars with 0 mints listed. Good early proofs. "Finest" 1805 half dime. Nearly 500 lots of well-catalogued English, excellent Scottish and Irish. A well-catalogued sale, most important priced.

528. Woodward, W.E. Sale 20: HARLOW E. WOODWARD. November 18, 1878. 37 pp. 562 lots (lots 4209 to 4770, inclusive). The non-numismatic items are priced and occasionally named. (20.00)

Adams, C+. The Harlow Woodward collection is mostly artifacts and bric-a-brac. 54 lots of large cents with many unc middle and late dates. The "Philadelphia" half dollar token with descriptive text. The "Good Samaritan shilling" in gold with important explanatory text. 100 lots of store cards. Still a satisfactory copy. Harlow was William's brother.

529. Woodward, W.E. Seventy-Seventh Sale: J. COLVIN RANDALL. June 29-July 1, 1885. 76 pp. 1749 lots. PARTIALLY PRICED. The top inch of the front cover has been torn away. (25.00)

Adams, A+. Adams, "Complete regular mint series, best ever for condition." Absolutely outstanding silver and gold. The silver coinage, attributed by Haseltine numbers, lists mintmarked issues. 200 lots of outstanding U.S. gold, with a "nearly double thickness" Bechtler \$2.50.

Other highlights: Dollars: 1794, 1795 proof, 1851 & 1852 proofs. Halves: 26 varieties of 1795s, 180 attributed bust halves, 1853-0 without arrows @ \$180. Extraordinary bust quarters: 2 proof 1796s, unc 1804, BU 1807 (believed to be the only unc), 1823. 1805 half dime - "the finest I have ever seen". 1792 Washington "naked bust" cent with extensive text. A magnificent sale.

530. Woodward, W.E. Sale 79: HARLOW E. WOODWARD. September 18, 1885. 36 pp. 679 lots. (15.00)

Adams, C-. Some colonial and fractional currency. Mostly stamps with Dr. Benjamin Waterhouse's autographed letters with a brief Waterhouse bio by Woodward on page 9. Waterhouse, an early American advocate for vaccination, is given credit for severely reducing the "scourge" of smallpox.

531. Woodward, W.E. Eighty-Fifth Sale: A Distinguished Amateur. June 22, 1886. 28 pp. 646 lots. Unopened. (10.00)

Adams, C-. Some Continental, Confederate, and fractional currency. Mostly postage, revenue stamps, philatelic ephemera.

532. Woodward, W.E. One Hundredth Sale: H.E. WOODWARD. October 22-24, 1888. 79 pp. 2050 lots. Untrimmed and unopened. The contents clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C-. Although this is listed as a W.E. Woodward sale, it was actually catalogued by Harlow Woodward, W.E.'s brother. Exclusively philatelic.

An Important Offering of ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE UNITED STATES MINT

The following paragraph about the annual reports of the United States Mint was contained in George Kolbe's eleventh sale, June 11-12, 1982, on page 73. We gratefully acknowledge his permitting us to reprint the following excerpt.

The April 2, 1792 act establishing the Mint required that "in the month of January of every year he (the Director) of the mint shall make report to the President of the United States of the operations of th mint, and its branches for the year preceding." The Act of February 21, 1857 "directs the annual report of the mint shall extend to the 30th of June in each year." The Act of February 12, 1873 provided "that the Mint of the United States is hereby established as a Bureau of the Treasury Department." From 1873 to the present, reports have been issued by the Treasury Department as separate successive yearly publications.

In addition to the vast quantity of statistical data found within each volume, most of the issues also feature articles detailing with practices and policies of the Mint and its branches, the Assay offices, use of dies, development of new coinage, and monetary issues.

Most of the reports offered here from after 1884 are octavo, bound in matching black cloth, with the titles in gilt. Unless otherwise noted the covers are VG, with the contents being Fine.

In our previous sale, we offered a large number of these reports and were frankly surprised at the large number of bidders who sought them. In fact, several of the bidders subsequently chastised us for being surprised.

533. MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TRANSMITTING A REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT FOR THE YEAR 1819. March 11, 1820. 12mo, self-covered. 6 pp. Removed from a bound volume. The heavy rag content paper is foxed and chipped. (25.00)

The mint report is one page of text and a one page chart produced by R. Patterson, perhaps the last brief report ever to come out of Washington. Quite scarce.

534. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1873. 1873. 8vo. 120 pp. The covers and The title page are missing. Except for the last page which is chipped, worn, and soiled, the contents are complete and clean but disbound. A reading copy. (10.00)

The text includes brief sections about the history of U.S. coinage, the text of laws relating to U.S. coinage enacted during the past year, a section about "a fraud on our gold coins", and communications regarding the coinage of individual European countries.

535. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1879. 1879. 141 pp. 8vo, original maroon cloth, gilt. The covers are VG. The contents are Fine. (25.00)

Much of the narrative is correspondence between the U.S. and officials of various foreign countries concerning their respective banking and monetary practices.

536. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1884. 1884. Original black cloth, gilt. 129 pp. The spine is slightly chipped. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Bound in is a small printed piece of paper "With the Compliments of Horatio C. Burchard, Director of the Mint." "The total number of dies manufactured for coins and medals was 1,520, of which 132 were for the gold, 388 for the silver, and 958 for the minor coinage; 36 for proof and experimental coins and 6 for medals. Sixty coinage dies were prepared for the New Orleans mint, 49 for Carson, 160 for San Francisco, and 1,209 for Philadelphia." Also correspondence between the U.S. and officials of various foreign countries concerning their respective banking and monetary practices.

537. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1888. 1888. Later leather and marbelled boards. 297 pp. The covers are heavily worn, virtually disbound. Other than some peripheral page discoloration, and a few pencilled marks, the contents are VG. (15.00)

Bound in is a small printed piece of paper "With the Compliments of James B. Kimball, Director of the Mint." "New Designs on United States Coins", another section on "Devices and Designs on Coinage", "Proposed Discontinuance of the Three-Cent Nickel Coinage."

538. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1890. 1890. Original black cloth, gilt. 296 pp. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

The usual correspondence from foreign countries about mint and monetary policies.

539. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1891. 1891. Original black cloth, gilt. 291 pp. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Sections on new designs for American coinage and the new mint at Philadelphia in addition to the usual correspondence from foreign countries about mint and monetary policies.

540. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1892. 1892. Original black cloth, gilt. 270 pp. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Five pages on the new mint at Philadelphia in addition to the usual correspondence from foreign countries about mint and monetary policies.

541. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1893. 1893. Original black cloth, gilt. 322 pp. One page is torn, Good to VG. (20.00)

A review of silver from 1848 to 1893 and the causes of its depreciation since 1872. Currency and coin legislation. Five pages on the new mint at Philadelphia in addition to the usual correspondence from foreign countries about mint and monetary policies.

542. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1894. 1894. Leather and marbelled boards. The edges marbelled. 371 pp. The covers are disbound and heavily worn. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

The usual correspondence from foreign countries about mint and monetary policies, with many more charts and tables than usual.

543. United States Government. REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT UPON THE PRODUCTION OF GOLD AND SILVER IN THE UNITED STATES During The Year Ended June 30, 1895. 1896. Original black cloth. 384 pp. The covers are VG. The contents are Fine. (25.00)

This is not a mint report but is entirely devoted to articles and charts about regional gold and silver production reports with maps.

544. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30 1896,. 1896. Original black cloth, gilt. 591 pp. 15 pls. VG. (25.00)

Ex-Libris Doane College Library. This sought after mint report carries a fascinating account of embezzlement of gold bullion from the Melter and Refiner's Department. Also included is a lengthy monograph "Theory and History of Coinage", derived primarily from an article by a Professor Lexis. Of special importance is "From Mine to Mint" an important report on technical minting processes with 15 plates of contemporary coining equipment. A section of important "Correspondence Pertaining to the Proposed Revision of the Mint and Coinage Laws of the United States."

545. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1897. 1897. Original black cloth, gilt. 463 pp. Nearly Fine. (25.00)

Ex-Kolbe XI, lot 853. "The Decline of Silver Since 1873" and the usual international coinage and monetary correspondence.

546. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1898. 1898. Original black cloth, gilt. 558 pp. Some dents on the edges of the back cover, affecting the adjacent leaves. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Ex-Kolbe XI. Much text on the International Monetary Commission in addition to the usual correspondence from foreign countries about mint and monetary policies.

547. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1899. 1899. Original black cloth, gilt. 470 pp. VG. (25.00)

Ex-Libris Doane College Library. Good information on currency reform in China in addition to the usual correspondence.

548. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1901. 1901. Original black cloth, gilt. 434 pp. VG. (25.00)

549. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1903. 1903. Original black cloth, gilt. 293 pp. VG. (25.00)

550. United States Government. REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT UPON THE PRODUCTION OF GOLD AND SILVER IN THE UNITED STATES During The Year Ended June 30, 1909. 1911. Original black cloth, gilt. 135 pp. VG. (25.00)

This is not a mint report but is entirely devoted to articles and charts about regional gold and silver production.

551. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1911. 1911. Original black cloth, gilt. 403 pp. VG. (25.00)

A lengthy section on "The World's Absorption of Gold and the Rise of Prices". Also included is the "Report on the Production and Consumption of Gold and Silver in the United States during the Calendar Year 1910."

552. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1914. 1914. Original black cloth, gilt. 279 pp. 1 pl. VG. (15.00)

Also included is the "Report on the Production and Consumption of Gold and Silver in the United States during the Calendar Year 1913."

553. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1916 and also the PRODUCTION OF PRECIOUS METALS IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 1915. 1916. Original black cloth, gilt. 286 pp. 1 pl. VG. (15.00)

The plate is a glossy halftone of enlargements of both sides of the "new" dime, quarter, half dollar, and McKinley gold dollar.

554. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1917. 1917. Original black cloth, gilt. 271 pp. 1 plate. VG. (15.00)

Also included is the "Report on the Production and Consumption of Gold and Silver in the United States during the Calendar Year 1916." The plate is a halftone of an enlargement of both sides of the "modified" standing liberty quarter, "modified slightly for the purpose of increasing its artistic merit." [Last night I dreamed I went walking in my Maidenform chain mail.]

555. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1918. 1918. Original black cloth, gilt. 259 pp. 1 plate. Some pages are bent at the top corners, VG. (15.00)

Also included is the "Report on the Production and Consumption of Gold and Silver in the United States during the Calendar Year 1917." The plate is a halftone of an enlargement of both sides of the 1918 Lincoln half dollar.

556. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1919. 1919. Original black cloth, gilt. 300 pp. VG. (15.00)

Also included is the "Report on the Production and Consumption of Gold and Silver in the United States during the Calendar Year 1918."

557. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1920. 1920. Original black cloth, gilt. 307 pp. 1 plate. VG. (15.00)

Also included is the "Report of the Precious Metals During the Calendar Year 1919." The plate is a halftone of the United States Assay Office Building on Wall Street, New York next to the U.S. Subtreasury Building accompanied by text about the building and also text about improvements at the various U.S. mints.

558. United States Government. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1923. 1923. Original paper covers. 248 pp. 1 plate. Some interior annotations, VG. (15.00)

Also included is the "Report of the Precious Metals During the Calendar Year 1922." The plate is of the Monroe Doctrine commemorative half dollar.

559. United States Government. 4 Years of the ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY. 1924-1925, 1927-1928. Each in the original matching black cloth, gilt. Averaging 235 pp. Averaging VG. (35.00)

Also included for each is the annual "Report of the Precious Metals During the Calendar Year." Each volume has a halftone plate of the commemorative coin issued during the year.

560. United States Government. 4 Consecutive Years of the ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY. 1929-1932. Each in the original matching black cloth, gilt. Averaging 200 pp. Moderate library markings. Averaging VG. (35.00)

Each is ex-libris Doane Library. Also included for each is the annual "Report of the Precious Metals During the Calendar Year." Each volume has a halftone plate: Lindberg medal, Edison medal, Walter Reed medal, Washington quarter

561. United States Government. 4 Years of the ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY. 1933-1935, 1940. Each in the original matching black cloth, gilt. Averaging 108 pp. Moderate library markings. Averaging VG. (35.00)

Each is ex-libris Doane Library or Holyoke Library. Also included for each is the annual "Report of the Precious Metals During the Calendar Year." Two of the volumes have one halftone plate each featuring both sides of three commemorative halves, each.

562. Each of the preceding 29 lots (lots 533 to 562) including the MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TRANSMITTING A REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT FOR THE YEAR 1819, the ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, and of the REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT UPON THE PRODUCTION OF GOLD AND SILVER IN THE UNITED STATES (655.00)

The successful bid must exceed the total of the individual bids for the previous 29 lots.

Selections from the Holdings of KIRBY BROWN

This section begins with nineteenth century auction catalogues, is followed by some from the twentieth century, and concludes with a selection of numismatic books.

563. Bangs, Merwin & Co. [JACOB GLOSSER] Catalogue of ... Coins and Medals. July 12, 1860. 16 pp. 388 & 80 lots. Soiled, stained, a small hole in the last leaf not affecting contents. Good. (15.00)

Adams/Attinelli, R-7. Attinelli, p. 19. This collection was first offered and subsequently withdrawn from Leeds & Co, two weeks earlier. Although Glosser was the primary consignor, also consigning were F.M. Bird, C.D. Norton, D.S. Martin, and Allen Rutherford. Some nice colonials, copper, and early type (which then was not all that "early").

564. Bangs, Merwin & Co. [C.A. LEVERIDGE] Catalogue of Miscellaneous Gold, Silver and Brass Medals and Coins. November 6-7, 1873. 37 pp. 976 lots. A few priced pencilled inside. Vertical bisecting fold. Some cover soiling, otherwise Fine. (15.00)

Adams/Attinelli, R-6. Various sections offering large cents with proofs: 1842 small date, 1843, 1852 (in a different section), 1855, 1856. 3 proof half cents. This is one of the Bangs sales that was perfunctorily catalogued. A scarcer sale.

565. Bangs, Merwin & Co. [Samuel Carter, cataloguer]. SAMUEL CARTER'S Collection of Ancient and Modern Coins. March 22-25, 1880. 72 pp. 1975 lots. A PRICED COPY. Chipped at the backstrip, some cover soiling. The contents clean and Fine. (15.00)

With the inkstamp "George W. Rode No. 79" on the cover. 106 & 74 lots of large cents: VF 1799 with mostly unc middle and late dates. Good post-1825 half cents. Good U.S. medals with 89 lots of Washingtonia with a manly medal and several Sansom medals. Good auction catalogues. 350 lots of well-catalogued Roman Imperial silver and bronzes. Good ancient Greek, the ancient coins being checked for authenticity and attribution by Gaston Feuardent. Fair U.S. silver with a proof and an unc 1837 no stars seated dimes. 1857 & 1858 proof sets. Particularly important priced.

566. Chapman, S.H. & H. [Sale 4] Collection of Coins. November 19-20, 1880. 40 pp. 1082 lots. The heavily stained covers are detached but present. The contents are heavily waterstained. (5.00)

Adams, B. Excellent colonials. 70 lots of large cents. Good Washingtonia. 1802 half dime. An excellent sale.

567. Chapman, S.H. & H. [Sale 34] Collection of Coins ... WILLIAM BOEING, Esq. Also Superb Set of Dollars of A. BRIDGMAN, JR. Esq. November 27-28, 1891. 64 pp. 1073 lots. The typical Chapman cover discoloration. The covers are chipped at the edges and the backstrip. The contents are clean and VF. (15.00)

Adams, A- with 2 "A" ratings for early silver and German/French. 400 lots of outstanding Germanic with multiple talers. Also good European. Excellent dollars with choice bust dollars, proofs from 1843-1868. Original Confederate cent in nickel (apparently Lovett's own) and Confederate treasury department seal.

568. Chapman, S.H. & H. [Sale 41] THOMAS COLLIER, SAMUEL BADLAM, C.T. WHITMAN. May 3-4, 1894. 66 pp. 1250 lots. A PRICED COPY. The front cover is missing. The rear cover is chipped, soiled, and discolored. Other than the title page being soiled and chipped at the fore edge, the contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. 340 lots of attributed ancient Roman coinage. Oak Tree shillings: an unc and a rare variety. Some attributed Hard Times tokens. Mediocre U.S. coinage. 101 lots of Siamese porcelain money. 121 lots of Whitman's numismatic literature.

569. Chapman, S.H. & H. [Sale 77] The J.A. NEXSEN Collection of Coins. December 16, 1904. 41 pp. 628 lots. The covers are typically soiled and peripherally discolored. Some cover chipping. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Perhaps the first American auction catalogue to place estimates following each lot of ancient coins, "this system was employed many years ago, by the late Henri Hoffman, of Paris." 122 lots of ancient Greek and roman coins. Nice French and English hammered silver. Attributed Vermont, Connecticut, New Jersey, and Massachusetts colonials. Auction catalogues. 1840 P.E.I. halfpenny..

570. Chapman, Henry. [Sale 48] COMMODORE W.C. EATON. Collection of Coins and Numismatic Books. May 7-8, 1929. 58 pp. 1149 lots. The covers are slightly spotted. Otherwise VF. (25.00)

Adams, B. 264 lots of attributed colonials with 83 New Jersey coppers. 213 attributed large cents with 100 early dates. The Bardeen collection of 86 lots of attributed half cents included a 1796 with pole "an excellent specimen", and 1833 & 1843 original proofs. Also 65 lots of numismatic literature. An underappreciated sale.

571. Chapman, Henry. [Sale 51: REV. JEREMIAH ZIMMERMAN, DOOLAN, YOUNG, GOLDSTEIN, ZOLOTZEFF and GEYER] Collections of Coins. November 17-18, 1932. 78 pp. 1431 lots. The covers are a trifle discolored. The top half of the spine is tape repaired. The contents are clean and VF. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Chapman's last sale and his first in over two years. 160 lots of Zimmerman's ancient Greek coinage and 270 lots of ancient Roman. Some good colonials, American medals, and nice patterns with an 1872 Barber pattern silver dollar, AW 1255 (4 struck). 2 Washington Eccleston medals.

572. Cogan, Edward. Sale 29: BENJAMIN BETTS. June 1-2, 1871. 45 pp. 904 lots. The untrimmed covers chipped at periphery and backstrip. The contents clean and Fine. (12.00)

Adams, C+. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 1804 proof \$10.00, 1860 \$20.00 Longacre pattern, 1860 "Mormon" \$5.00. Rare NY copper colonials. 1796 Myddleton tokens in silver and copper. 100 lots of large cents. Good Washingtonia: 1792 thick planchet cent - "as fine as any ever offered". 1782 "Libera Soror" American Revolutionary Peace medal. Adams' "C+" rating is conservative.

573. Cogan, Edward. Sale 33: Catalogue of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins, &c.... November 11, 1872. 31 pp. 719 lots. Unopened. Other than the covers being a trifle peripherally discolored, VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Adams/Attinelli, R-5. Silver coinage from the New Orleans mint is indicated. As collecting of coinage by mintmarks did not become popular until after Augustus Heaton's 1893 A TREATISE ON THE COINAGE OF THE UNITED STATES BRANCH MINTS, early auction references to mintmarked coinage is quite noteworthy. 1863 proof \$2.50. 1842 original proof half cent. Washingtonia. Some nice patterns. 85 lots of large cents. A discovery NJ copper. 85 lots of priced auction catalogues, a specialty in the Woodward sales; this is quite unusual in a Cogan sale. An especially nice copy of a Cogan sale.

574. Cogan, Edward. Sale 42: Catalogue of Coins and Medals. May 7, 1875. 27 pp. 517 lots. Unopened. The back cover has soiling and a streak of discoloration. The contents are chipped at the untrimmed fore edges. The contents are otherwise clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 1794 dollar "one of the best". Rare patterns: ring dollar in copper, 3 1859 halves "with this obverse have not to my knowledge ever been offered before at auction". A BU 1773 Virginia halfpenny. 1782 Holland/America Peace Medal. 1694 Carolina "elephant". One of six known 1872 "Amazonian" proof dollars brought \$125.

575. Cogan, Edward. Sale 57: Catalogue of a Fine and Valuable Private Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. December 20-21, 1877. 45 pp. 1056 lots. Unopened. Waterstaining affecting only the margins, not the text. Because of the waterstaining, VG. (10.00)

Adams, B-. Although this copy is not named the 13 NJ coppers were purchased by Maris. 1851 unc dollar. Mintmarked silver. 1796 & 1797 halves. Decent 1794 to 1804 silver minors. Proof sets from 1858. Rare variety 1795 Washington "Liberty and Security" copper. 112 lots of large cents, good pre-1814 with an unc 1793 "chain", 1795 "Jefferson head", 1796 unc "fillet head". 6 proof half cents: 1842, 1845-1848, 1852. 100 lots of good colonials: 1694 Carolina, Higley copper, 1773 proof Virginia cent, 1796 Myddleton token in silver. Unc 1792 half disme. Mexican: 1823 Iturbide dollar - "the finest dollar of this emperor I have catalogued." A most impressive sale.

576. Cogan, Edward. Sale 61: Catalogue of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. June 27-28, 1878. 51 pp. 904 lots. A rather insignificant vertical bisecting fold. The covers are chipped at the edges of the backstrip. There is minor soiling and staining on the cover. The untrimmed edges have been professionally trimmed, not affecting the dimensions of the catalogue. But for three pencilled marks in the margin, the contents are VF. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Good Washingtonia. Sutler's cards - "The Largest and best Assortment of these Cards I have ever offered." Some choice nineteenth century Mexican silver minors. Mexican proclamation pieces. Excellent pre-1800 numismatic literature. Presidential and political tokens. Some good Washingtonia with a Perkins medal and an 1808 Washington Benevolent Society medal in silver. This is a really nice copy.

OF NOTE: For many years in the U.S. the so-called "American system" was used to indicate the diameter of coins. This was a 4 inch bar divided into 64 units. For example a current small cent would be a size 12. However, in this sale Cogan introduced the "Metric Coin Scale" for indicating the diameter of coins in millimeters. Apparently W.B. Whetmore must have suggested the concept as his name is printed following "Metric Coin Scale".

577. Cogan, Edward. [Sale 62] Catalogue of a Very Large and Valuable Collection of Gold, Silver & Copper Coins and Medals. September 16-20, 1878. pp. lots. The front cover is peripherally stained and waterstained. The backstrip is chipped. Untrimmed and Unopened. Other than the usual roughness of the untrimmed fore edges, the contents are clean and VF. (25.00)

Adams A with 4 "A" ratings for medals, tokens, patterns, and Washingtonia. Rare Washingtonia. Many presidential and political with good Lincolnia. Nearly 100 silver storecards. Mintmarked silver. 1802 half dime "one of the best". 5 1834 proof minors. 1851 California gold set in silver: \$2.50 to \$20.00. 1834 proof set. Colonials: Vermontis Respublica, many varieties of Connecticut and New Jersey coppers. Silver Peace medals - "the most interesting assortment ever offered at any one sale." 1776 silver Libertas Americana medal. A fascinating variety of quality offerings. This is a scarcer catalogue.

578. Cogan, George. [Sale 1] Catalogue of a Varied and Valuable Collection of Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Medals. February 14-15, 1881. 70 pp. 1265 lots. The front cover is missing. The sewn binding is nearly completely disbound, thus dividing the contents into its signatures. Untrimmed. Dampstained at the top margins. The contents are otherwise clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. This was the first of George's, who was Edward's son, 10 sales held between 1881 and 1885. 114 lots of Sutler's checks, "The most complete assortment of these interesting mementoes of the War for the Union, ever yet offered." 70 lots of hammered French coinage. "Unusually Fine" 1802 half cent. Silver Libertas Americana medal. French silver and copper coinage. 95 lots of priced auction catalogues from 1858 to 1225. This is quite a scarce sale.

579. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 9: A.F. MERELL, of Detroit, Mich.] Catalogue of Coins & Medals. June 5, 1880. 30 pp. 655 lots. A PRICED COPY. Fine or better. (15.00)

Adams, C+. 1858 proof set. 6 piece set of 1873 pattern trade dollars. An unc 1795 "thin planchet". 6 Zodiac silver rupees. NOTE: Merell's name does not appear in Adams or Gengerke. However, Frossard indicated the name in the May 1880 NUMISMA, p. [5].

580. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 10] June 28-29, 1880. 53 pp. 1298 lots. Other than the backstrip being soiled and a trifle chipped, VF. (25.00)

Adams, C+. Sutler's checks. Extensive U.S. medals and storecards. Colonial and continental currency. 70 lots of auction catalogues from 1855 to 1879. Antiquarian numismatic books. This is a bright, clean copy which is quite unusual for Frossard catalogues.

581. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 13] Catalogue of American and Foreign Coins. March 23-24, 1881. 46 pp. 1079 lots. But for some minute chipping of the oversized covers and at the ends of the backstrip, VF. (15.00)

Adams, B. Rare American medals. Dutch-American Revolutionary Peace medals. 1857 proof set. Good bust and seated halves. Large cents: 5 1793 wreaths (Frossard plate coin), unc 1795 "thick planchet". Masonic medals. Good numismatic literature: Finotti's copy of the 1858 Hickox, many rare auction catalogues. Rare private and territorial gold. 78 lots of Becker's forgeries with an extensive paragraph about him. This is a bright, clean copy.

582. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 19] Catalogue of American and Foreign Coins. Also the Collection of American and English Copper Tokens of LYMAN H. LOW. February 28, 1882. 40 pp. 743 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. Some soiling on the covers. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (15.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" rating for tokens. Good storecards. 50 lots of 18th and 19th century English tokens, many identified, many in multiple lots. A rare Washington token (only 2 then known). 1792 pattern dime. 1797 half dollar. 1853 no arrows quarter. Good Masonic. Good European numismatic literature.

583. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 32] Ancient and Modern Coins, Medals, &c. October 12, 1883. 40 pp. 633 lots. Unopened. But for some minute chipping of the oversized covers and at the ends of the backstrip, clean and better than Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. Masonic medals. Good world crowns and multiple crowns. EF 1793 "chain" cent (Adams calls it unc). Some nice American medals. Good ancients, one with "the most perfect portrait of Julius Caesar I have ever seen on a coin." 75 lots of excellent numismatic literature. This is a scarcer sale.

584. Frossard, Ed. [Sale 63] Executor's Sale of Coins and medals The Numismatic Library of RICHARD H. LAWRENCE, Esq. December 28, 1886. 28 pp. 545 lots. Unopened, untrimmed. The covers are soiled chipped at the backstrip. The contents are Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. English bronze medals by Mudie, Web, and Mills. a 1794 dollar. The numismatic library included works from another consignor totalling 120 lots of "the principal, latest, and best authorities, especially on Greek and Roman coinages."

585. Frossard, Ed. Ninety-First Sale. March 30, 1889. 24 pp. 530 lots. The covers are chipped, and disbound but present. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C. For several years, Frossard used poor quality card covers which seemed to chip upon contact with oxygen. 50 Siamese porcelain tokens. Medical medals. Foreign coinage. Also this lot contains a defective copy of Frossard's Sale 108 of October 16, 1891.

586. Frossard, Ed. Sale 116: The E.S. PHILLIPS Collection. April 18-19, 1893. 52 pp. 1000 lots. A PRICED COPY. The contents are loose from the covers. The covers are chipped at the edges. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. By this time, Frossard was using the higher quality red card covers. However, as the covers were attached to the contents only by gluing the backstrip, many of the covers routinely became unglued. Excellent American medals: good Washingtonia. Unc 1771 Greenland dollar. Nice English. Canadian tokens.

587. Frossard, Ed. Sale 131: JOHN ULIN. March 8, 1895. 32 pp. 629 lots. Some pencil marks in the margin. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" for ancients. Excellent ancient Greek - "Of all 'antiquities' Coins are the smallest, yet their historical range and authority is the widest and highest of all. No history is so unbroken as that which they tell." Also includes THE NUMISMATIST, volumes I-VII complete.

588. Frossard, Ed. Sale 133: Ancient Coins. Masonic and Napoleonic Medals. Rare Foreign ... and U.S. Coins. June 14, 1895. 32 pp. 629 lots. Some pencil marks in the margin. The covers are Fine. The contents are clean and virtually VF. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Ancient coinage. 55 lots of attributed Masonic medals. Some nice multiple talers. 74 silver European historical medals.

589. Frossard, Ed. Sale 135. [CHRISTIAN G. MORITZ]. Catalogue of a Collection of Copper Coins of the World. November 29, 1895. 34 pp. 578 lots. Clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Copper coins of the world. 21 lots of Canadian attributed with Breton numbers, many multiple lots.

590. Frossard, Ed. Sale 145: The [FRANK L.] BOWMAN Collection of United States and Foreign Coins and Medals. April 20-21, 1897. 48 pp. 1091 lots. The moderately soiled covers are chipped at the backstrip. But for some pencilled marks in the margins, the contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B. Bowman was a variety collector specializing in halves, large cents, and half cents. 215 lots of large cents: 11 1793s, 38 1794s. 100+ lots of good numismatic literature: 1884 Steigerwalt.

591. Harzfeld, S.K. Harzfeld's Sixth Sale of Coins and Medals. September 11-12, 1879. 38 pp. 1140 lots. But for the backstrip being chipped at the top and bottom, VF. (15.00)

Adams, C. Numismatic literature: 105 auction catalogues, a Crosby, a Dickeson, and both Snowdens. 1862 proof set. Mintmarked silver. Waterloo medal. This is the nicest condition Harzfeld sale I have yet seen.

592. Harzfeld, S.K. Harzfeld's Fourteenth Sale of Coins and Medals. October 29, 1880. 28 pp. 711 lots. The back cover is heavily chipped. The covers are split at the backstrip. The contents are clean and VF. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Fractional currency shield. Unc 1797 bust dollar. Historically important editorial criticism directed toward the mint director's lack of numismatic knowledge.

593. Harzfeld, S.K. Harzfeld's Sixteenth Sale of Coins and Medals: H. ROGERS and MR. HOOFNAGEL. January 24-25, 1881. 52 pp. 1414 lots. The untrimmed oversized covers are slightly chipped at the overhang. Unopened. The covers are split at the backstrip. Otherwise the covers and the contents are clean and VF. (10.00)

Adams, B. Scottish Earl of Stirling twopence. 4 ounce silver medal presented by Congress to Lt. George Reed for naval gallantry, October 25, 1812. Jackson and Monroe Indian Peace medals. Rare Vermont colonial. Unc 1794 large cent and 1799 cent, ex-Merritt. Unc 1795 dollar. Unc fractional currency. Harzfeld's compliments to Snowden, but verbal assault on continuing mint abuses. Good Connecticut copper varieties. An excellent sale in excellent condition for a Harzfeld catalogue.

594. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 32] Coin Sale. February 25-27, 1878. 63 pp. 1537 lots. The covers are disbound but present. Light waterstaining throughout affecting half of each page. Otherwise the contents are clean. (10.00)

Adams, B-. 1670 "Gloriam Regni". Connecticut coppers and NJ cents. A decent run of large cent.

595. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 36.] Property of the late JOSEPH MICKLEY. January 31, 1879. 26 pp. 519 lots. A PRICED COPY. Untrimmed. The covers are soiled. The contents are Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. "A.C. GIES"'s pencilled signature on the cover. Excellent large cents: 1793 wreath, "the finest I have ever seen", 2 high grade 1793 "chains", 2 unc 1794s by Maris numbers, 1821 and 1827 proofs, many late date proofs. Many original half cent proofs.

596. Haseltine, John W. [Sale 38] Coin Sale. July 29-30, 1879. 29 pp. 1000 lots. A PRICED COPY. The soiled, chipped covers are nearly separated. The top third of the contents are waterstained throughout. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Good half cents: 1831 and 1836 restrikes with 5 originals. Good colonials with rarities, many Connecticut varieties. A good run of 115 large cents. Most of the seated coinage is in proof. A nice run of dollars.

597. Low, Lyman H. [Sale 5] Catalogue of a Collection of Coins and Medals. February 4-5 (3-4 on the front cover), 1885. 56 pp. 1018 lots. A PRICED COPY. The original covers are heavily soiled and nearly split at the backstrip. The contents are generally Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B. A Lord Baltimore shilling in copper. 196 lots of quality Canadian coins, tokens, and medals: 1670 Gloriam Regni, 1839 "side view" halfpenny token, 1796 Copper Company of Upper Canada/British Settlement Kentucky token. Good medals: Peace, Printing, Washington, Franklin, Lafayette, and politicals. One lot of 119 varieties of Australian tokens, Stainsfield's private collection. Also storecards and Civil War tokens. Latin-American coins and proclamations. Nearly 150 lots of counterstamped copper coinage "the greatest as well as the most interesting of its class ever offered at auction."

598. Low, Lyman H. Fifteenth Sale. [R.H. CRESSINGHAM, H. WHITTINGHAM, I[SAAC] F. WOOD, and others] Catalogue of Coins, Medals and Numismatic Books. May 9, 1887. 43 pp. 675 lots. Some prices in pencil. The covers are disbound but present. Vertical bisecting fold. Other than the pencilled prices, the contents are generally clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, B-. A few rare Canadian communion tokens, medals, and tokens. Numismatic literature: 1881 Maris. 28 lots of foreign Peace medals. Fair large cents with a 1796 "liberty" - "the best specimen of this variety offered in years". 86 lots of Proclamation medals.

599. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-Second Sale] A Parcel Sale. June 23, 1900. 45 pp. 701 lots. The covers are spotted and slightly faded. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (15.00)

Adams, A- with an "A" for private gold. Rare colonial currency. Admiral Dewey medal. Some good half cents: 1796, 4 proofs with an 1847 original. Large cents: 1793 chain - "few possess its equal", some 1794 varieties, and a 1799. 100 lots of numismatic literature. Good U.S. gold: 1806/4 \$2.50, 1849 Mormon \$20.00, "the only one I ever had possession of". Even with the noted cover defects, this is one of the nicest Low catalogues we have seen.

600. Low, Lyman H. [Fifty-Fifth Sale] WILLIAM GASTEN. December 29, 1900. 38 pp. 623 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are disbound but present. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" for British. 178 lots of British with excellent hammered silver, also Portcullis half crown, 1648 "Pontrefact" shilling. Also early British colonial copper. Good European coinage. Good numismatic literature with THE NUMISMATIST from 1892 to 1900.

601. Low, Lyman H. [Sixty-Fifth Sale] Coins and Medals. DR. J.J. LUSSIER, ARTHUR G. DAVIS. February 27, 1902. 26 pp. 546 lots. A PRICED COPY. The soiled covers were disbound but have been reattached by tape. The contents are Fine. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Counterstamped coins with good narrative text. Other C/S coins are underlined in red ink. 30 lots of Lussier's Canadian tokens, many attributed. Comments about Civil War tokens issued by Lamphear. Encased postage.

602. Low, Lyman H. [Eighty-Ninth Sale] Coins and Medals. COMSTOCK Collection, Part V. May 19, 1904. 26 pp. 546 lots. Frontis halftone of Comstock. The covers are soiled and slightly chipped. The contents are VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. The inside cover is devoted to Low's narrative about the 1804 dollar offered in the H.G. Brown sale. 115 lots of foreign historical silver medals and 87 lots of bronze medals. Excellent numismatic literature. Unc 1851 over 1881 large cent. Although it may be damning with faint praise, this is a rather nice copy for a Low sale.

603. Low, Lyman H. [Ninetieth Sale] Coins and Medals. Collection of HAMILTON G. JONES. June 21, 1904. 39 pp. 718 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. Frontis halftone of Comstock. The only slightly soiled covers are only a trifle chipped at the backstrip. The contents are VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Some choice large cents after 1840. Admiral Vernon medals. 1799 Washington "He in glory, the world in tears" gold medal. Nice numismatic literature with a complete set of Frossard's NUMISMA. Napoleon medals. This is also a rather nice copy for a Low sale.

604. Low, Lyman H. [Ninety-Ninth Sale]. Auction Sale. Coins, Medals, and Tokens. Final Portion of the H.G. BROWN Collection, with Consignments from Messrs. CONRAN, HEILBRONNER, LANGDON April 19, 1905.

39 pp. 699 lots. A PRICED COPY. The slightly faded, chipped, and soiled covers are nearly disbound. Other than some pencilled marks in the margins and rusty staples, the contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. Ex-Wilson 17, lot 951. 60 & 45 lots of mediocre large cents. Some Canadiana with a Breton 977. Early Chinese "The very rarest Chinese money and in oddest shapes. Unc NJ cent, Maris 63-q.

605. Low, Lyman H. [Sale 113]. Auction Sale. Coins, Medals, and Paper Money. Collections of CHAS. FRASER, M.D., and LEO HAHN. September 1, 1906. 30 pp. 532 lots. The covers are stained. The contents are Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. 1796 and 1797 half dollars. New Orleans mintmarked half dollars. 76 lots of Fraser's good numismatic library. 86 lots of large cents with an unc 1804 restrike cent and good middle and late dates. The covers are intact and the contents are in pleasing condition.

606. Low, Lyman H. 141st Sale. Coins, Medals, and a Numismatic Library [JOHN S. HUMES and T.B. HUSTON]. June 7, 1909. 310 pp. 551 lots. A few pencilled marks in the margin. Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. 131 lots of good numismatic literature. 70 lots of C.M. Porter's fairly good large cents. 8 lots of imitations by Giovanni Cavino (1500-1570). This is a nice copy, but by this date Low was using higher quality paper covers.

607. New York Stamp & Coin Co [Proskey and Smith]. [Sale 1] Auction Sale of the CLAYTON SMITH Collection of Coins. January 7, 1888. 27 pp. 658 lots. The soiled covers are disbound. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, C+. 1795 15 star half dollar. 1853 no arrows quarter. Unc seated quarters from the 1880's. 40 lots of Canadian tokens and medals. BU 1806 half cent. Some interesting numismatic literature with Volumes 1-7 of NUMISMA and an 1881 Maris. One lot of 15 attributed "Bungtowns". Dollars: 1794, 1838 proof, 1852 unc, 1858 proof.

608. Sampson, Henry G. [Sale 2: R.A. BRITTON] A Collection of American Coins and Medals. February 16-17, 1882. 52 pp. 1222 lots. Vertical trisecting folds. The front cover and the title page are nearly separated. The rear cover is missing. The top margins of the last four leaves show evidence of rodent damage. The contents are partially disbound. Heavily rusted staples. The remaining contents are clean and Fine. (25.00)

Adams, A with an "A" for large cents. The introductory page contains the apparent signature of Ed. Frossard. 131 lots of excellent large cents: 7 attributed higher grade 1793s with an unc wreath; 15 attributed 1794s with 5 uncs; 2 unc thin planchet 1795s; unc 1796 liberty cap; 3 unc 1802s; unc 1805 "the best 1805 I have seen"; unc 1811; 1823 proof silver restrike (listed under patterns), most of the rest are uncs and proofs. 43 lots of half cents: 1795, 1797, and 1803 uncs; 9 proofs including originals of 1831, 1836, 1841, and 1852. 1858 gold and silver proof set.

81 lots of silver dollars from 1794 to 1881 "a finer set may not have been offered during the last decade." The 32 bust dollars are attributed: 3 unc 1795s; 2 unc 1796s; unc 1800. Proof silver dollars: 3 1836 Gobrecht varieties; 1838-1840; 1851-1853; 1858 & 1859. 145 lots of half dollars from 1794 to 1881, the dates through 1820 attributed: 1796 15 star; EF 1796 16 star; EF 1797; unc 1815; most of the remaining dates are unc. Excellent quarters from 1828 onward with branch mint coins. Excellent dimes from 1828, also an EF 1802. Good half dimes with an unc 1795. Good fractional currency.

50 lots of good U.S. gold: 1795 unc \$10.00; 1800 & 1805 unc \$5.00s; unc 1854 & Fine 1873 \$3.00; 1805, 1807, 1808, and unc 1824 \$2.50s. Unc 1849 N.G. & N. \$5.00. Some rare priced and plated catalogues. Despite the poor appearance of the contents, they are not fragile. This catalogue is also rarely offered in any condition.

"This truly superb collection embraced the nearly entire silver and copper series of U.S., and a number of rare pattern pieces and Colonial coins. The arrangement of the catalogue is excellent, the coins were correctly described, and the result must have been gratifying to our old friend H.G., who spared neither time, trouble, nor expense to make his catalogue worthy of the collection placed in his hands for sale." (Ed. Frossard, NUMISMA, March 1882, [p. 6]) Much nicer than the copy we offered in sale 10.

609. Sampson, Henry G. [Sale 6] Coins, Medals, and Curiosities. April 20, 1883. 44 pp. 735 lots. A PRICED COPY. Slightly chipped at the backstrip. A vertical bisecting fold. Otherwise the covers are sound and the contents are clean and VF. (15.00)

Adams, C+. Siege pieces. Much European coinage, heavily Germanic. Medals: war, shooting, Masonic, Russian bronze. 1823 quarter. Some European numismatic literature, also a plated Bushnell.

610. Sampson, Henry G. [Sale 16] Catalogue of American and Foreign Coins in Gold, Silver, and Copper. February 12-13, 1885. 54 pp. 1101 lots. Slightly chipped at the backstrip. Slightest soiling of the covers. Otherwise the covers are sound and the contents are clean and VF. (10.00)

Adams, C+. 67 lots of war medals. 13 attributed varieties of 1795 halves. 57 lots of large cents: AU 1793 wreath cent (in another lot), 9 attributed 1794s; good late dates. 1796 half cent. Some attributed NJ and Connecticut cents. 42 lots of mostly attributed Canadian coins, tokens, and medals. Confederate currency with unc \$100 and \$50 Montgomery notes. 16th and 17th century Germanic talers. On the rear cover, "Mr. Sampson also represents the following Insurance Companies", five of which are listed. This is a really nice copy.

611. Sampson, Henry G. [Sale 22] Coins, Medals, etc. GEO. H. FARRIER, A.W. WHIPPLE, M TURNER. June 17-21, 1889. 108 pp. 2574 lots. A trifle chipped at the backstrip. Otherwise VF. (15.00)

Adams, B+ with an "A" for colonial paper money. 308 lots of excellent colonial and Continental currency. Nice Confederate currency. 25 English silver shilling tokens. Libertas Americana medal. 89 lots of Washingtonia. Hundreds of lots of presidential and political tokens. 80 lots of masonic medals. Hundreds of American and European medals. 150 lots of English gold and silver from Edward the Black Prince. A really nice copy of a 5 day sale..

612. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 2] Coin Sale. December 5-7, 1877. 48 pp. 1000 lots. Ills. Vertical bisecting fold. The chipped covers are detached but present. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, B-. 1792 Washington half dollar in copper, 1779 Rhode Island token, Connecticut and NJ coppers. 150 lots of worthwhile large cents in two different sections. Numismatic literature includes an 1876 Attinelli.

613. Scott & Company. [Numismatic Sale 3. A. REDLICH] Sale 13. Coin Sale. March 4-6, 1878. 48 pp. 999 lots. Ills. 2 photocopied plates. A PRICED COPY. The covers are soiled at chipped at the edges. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B-. Includes the Levick specimen ("finest known") of the 1802 half dime (\$172.50). 66 lots of large cents unc 1796 fillet head cent, 1802, unc 1803, 1834 proof. Eccleston Washington medal. Extensive good Germanic silver coins and medals. Luther medals. 1858 Canadian 3 piece silver proof set. 1851 and 1857 proof dollars. Two mediocre photocopies of the plates are tipped in.

614. Scott Stamp & Coin Co., L'd. [Numismatic Sale 35] 125th Auction Sale: Collections of Messrs. WALKER, SKILTON, HUFFMAN, Etc. March 14-15, 1894. 62 pp. 1141 lots. The covers are chipped and stained. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, B-. A rare NJ variety. 50 lots of large cents. Good seated half dimes, dimes, and quarters. 248 lots of Skilton's important Mexican coinage. Excellent fractional currency.

615. Scott Stamp & Coin Co., L'd. [Numismatic Sale 41] 135th Auction Sale. Catalogue of the Collection of Coins and Medals, Formed by the Late A. GERALD HULL. November 6-7, 1895. 48 pp. 1079 lots. 3 pairs of holes from staple removal in the gutter margins, the covers included. The covers are chipped and stained. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams, B-. Some Massachusetts silver from the April 1892 King sale. 65 lots of bust dollars with 15 different, though undescribed, varieties of the 1799 dollar. 1823/22 quarter. 95 lots of good patterns with rarities.

616. Smith, Harlan P. and Henry G. Sampson. [Sale 3] Sale of Coins. January 7, 1881. 30 pp. 661 lots. The top third of the front cover is torn away. Major damage to the margins of the first 4 leaves. Vertical bisecting fold. The contents are otherwise clean and Fine. (8.00)

Adams, C+. Half dollars: 1796 16 star, 1827/26. "Payable at the Rothsay Mills" English silver half crown and one-and-eight pence tokens. Proof sets from 1859 onward. 3 lots of rare Vermont Continental currency. 24 lots of good fractional currency. Unc 1797 Massachusetts half cent. 70 lots of ancient Greek and Roman silver coinage. Priced auction catalogues.

617. Smith, Harlan P. [Sale 7] A Collection of Coins and Medals: J.W. WOOD. December 22, 1882. 37 pp. 666 lots. The covers are nearly separated. Some interior spotting. The contents are Fine. (10.00)

Adams C+. 1794 dollar. Some Washingtonia. Some nice ancient Greek. Auction catalogues. A 1870 Slafter. Dutch American Peace medals. We have not offered a copy of this catalogue previously.

618. Smith, Harlan P. [Sale 20] The BERLIN Collection of Ancient and Modern Coins and Medals. January 14, 1887. 25 pp. 495 lots. Vertical trisecting fold. The covers are chipped at the periphery. Some cover tears. The contents are clean and Fine. (10.00)

Adams C+. Unc Halifax Steamship token. An 1823 unc restrike large cent - "This is the identical piece seized by the treasury officials and returned - the envelope is endorsed, '1823 cent mis-strike, got out by mistake, a genuine coin.'" Nice ancient Greek. The remainder mostly European coinage.

619. Strobridge, William H. [Sale 7: J.A. WRIGHT and F.S. EDWARDS] Catalogue of a Miscellaneous Collection of Coins and Medals. December 28-29, 1863. 29 pp. 720 lots. The front cover has a tape repair from having been torn vertically in two, and a section missing from the center. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Adams, B-. Adams/Attinelli, R-6. 1795 and 1804 half eagles. A few lots of rare English silver pennies. Some good and rare English gold. 1644 English 10 shilling. 1644 Oxford crown. 17th century quality European crowns. One lot of 32 English 1811-1812 silver shilling tokens, many specific tokens indicated. The U.S. is not catalogued to Strobridge's usual standards.

620. Strobridge, William H. [Sale 23: LT. COL. JAMES A. TAYLOR and HENRY AHLBORN] November 16, 1875. 123 pp. 2389 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are soiled, stained, and chipped with some inked notations and a tape repair, not to mention the bottom corner of the front cover being torn away. Several of the interior leaves are soiled, mostly in the margin. The rest of the contents are Fine. (25.00)

Adams, A with 3 "A" ratings for large cents, half cents, and early silver. Adams/Attinelli, R-5. 1794 dollar "the best I've seen". 1795 "Jefferson head" cent ("second best"). 1802 half dime. 1823 & 1827 quarters. VF 1796 half dollar. Excellent early U.S. gold. 1836 Gobrecht dollar. 12 proof half cents with an 1841. 1858 proof set. 1866 to 1871 proof sets with gold. Good early English and French. Impressive papal medals. Colonials: 1694 Carolina "elephant", Clinton cent, 1796 Myddleton silver token. 340 lots of well-catalogued Greek and Roman coinage. Good numismatic literature. A wonderful sale, especially important priced.

621. Woodward, William E. [Sale 34] Coins, Medals, Etc. The [WILLIAM] JENKS Collection. January 10-13, 1881. 111 pp. 2500 lots. The covers are soiled and chipped. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

Adams, B+ with 2 "A" ratings for ancients and English. "I submit to the tender mercies of buyers what I deem by far the finest Collection of Ancient and Foreign Coins that I have ever had the good fortune to offer for competition." The sale includes a Pescennius Niger with extensive text: quality English, Spanish, and French coinage. Also featured are large cents with rare varieties. Fractional currency. Auction catalogues. Rare New York colonials.

This is the third sale in which we have featured nineteenth century auction catalogues. Beginning with our next sale which will close after A.N.A. sale in August, we will be featuring early twentieth century auction catalogues. With the imminent release of the second volume of John Adams' work on American auction catalogues which will deal with those of the twentieth century, we anticipate a renewed focus on them. To whet your appetites, we are offering here a few tasty morsels here.

The New Netherlands sale prior to sale 34 are decidedly scarce to rare. While their content or cataloguing is not up to the quality of the later John Ford and Walter Breen efforts, their elusiveness makes any offering a special occasion.

622. New Netherlands Coin Co. PRICE LIST. September 1937. Thin octavo. 42 pp. The front cover has a marginal stain. Other than some slight discoloration of the paper due to age, clean and Fine. (12.00)

161 mostly attributed large cents: 1793 VF "chain", An EF and VF 1793 "wreath", 1798 red unc, 2 VG 1799s, unc 1810 over '09, excellent middle and late dates. 1792 half disme. 2 unc 1796 dimes. "Superb" 1795 and VF 1797 half dollars. Gold \$1.00s: unc 1855-D, EF 1856-D, EF 1860-D, 1870-S unc. \$2.50: 1821 proof, 1831-1833 uncs. EF 1873 \$3.00. Nice \$5.00s and \$10.00s. Private and territorial gold: 1851 Humbert \$50.00 880 fine, unc 1850 Mormon \$5.00, 1849 Oregon Exchange \$5.00. 82 lots of encased postage with a Kirkpatrick & Gault 90 cent. Silver Indian Peace medals: Lincoln, Fillmore, & Harrison. 11 pages of paper money: fractional, obsolete, and nationals. Foreign coinage. This may well be the first list ever produced by New Netherlands. Underappreciated and quite scarce.

A Nearly Complete Set of NUMISMA

623. New Netherlands Coin Company. 26 of 27 Issues of NUMISMA. From June 1954 to November 1960. The first 22 issues are thin octavo. The final four issues are octavo. VG to VF, averaging better than Fine. (150.00)

Missing only Volume 1, nos. 5 (November-December 1954). The last two issues contain the Prls. for NUMISMA mail-bid sales 14-15. These Prls. are decidedly scarce. This most prestigious house organ featured comprehensive coin offerings, extensive text, and original research and observations by John Ford and Walter Breen. 15 of the numbers contain mail-bid sales according to Remy Bourne's AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SALES AND INFORMATIONAL LITERATURE. Complete runs are most infrequently offered and are always in demand. NUMISMA represents the epitome of the genre.

624. New Netherlands. Third Mail Bid Sale. March 25, 1941. 40 pp. 1024 lots. Some prices in the margin. Much soiling and many folds. The backstrip split halfway. Old tape residue on backstrip. Good. (10.00)

The Vanderpoel Collection of Colonial Bank Notes: 184 lots. 1796 Myddleton token in silver. Nice bust and seated half dimes. EF 1833 \$2.50. \$5.00s: uncs 1800, 1806, 1807; 1834 new type (no grade); EF 1842-O, EF 1863. Many world crowns especially Germanic. Not an attractive copy, but it is complete. Quite scarce in any condition.

625. New Netherlands. Eleventh Catalogue. February 16, 1943. 31 pp. 971 lots. PRL. The covers are lightly soiled. The bid sheet has been neatly removed along the perforations. Other than some interior pencil marks, Fine. (25.00)

29 lots of attributed California fractional gold. Foreign gold and silver coins. 1909 to 1916 "satin finish" proof cents. 170 lots of proof singles from cents to dollars from 1862 onward. 15 lots of encased postage. Quite scarce.

626. New Netherlands. Twenty-Third Catalogue. April 16, 1946. 30 pp. 1157 lots. The covers have many areas with paper removed as though tape had been pulled off. Many pencilled notations inside. Good to VG. (10.00)

Unc half dimes: 1794, 1829-1835. Unc dimes: 1814 large date and 1821 large date and small date. Foreign silver and gold coins. Large U.S. currency. Fair U.S. gold. Quite scarce.

627. New Netherlands. 32nd Catalogue. March 3, 1951. 24 pp. 687 lots. PRL. VF. (20.00)

98 lots of large currency. 65 lots of fractional currency. Some nice numismatic literature with an original Haseltine 1881 sale catalogue ("Type Table" sale) with notations by Levick. An early sale under the aegis of John Ford. This is a very nice copy of a scarce sale.

628. New Netherlands. 39th Catalogue. November 22, 1952. 41 pp. 903 lots. PRL. 2 pls. The covers are nearly VF. The contents are VF. (25.00)

John Pawling's important half cents and large cents with superb text. Also an 1870-S dollar. Scarce.

629. Payne, Peter. 3 Auction Catalogues. (15.00)

Payne, his pseudonym, was involved in some well-publicized legal problems in the early 1960's. The elusiveness of these catalogues can be noted in Gengerke by where he indicated that Kirby Brown provided the listings for each of these catalogues.

1. [Sale 1] First Utah Auction Sale. 9/20/51. [12] pp. 1133 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. VG. Charles Ruby's ubiquitous signature on the front. 91 lots of low grade half cents: 1796 no pole. The rest of the offerings are mediocre.
2. [Sale 2] The First New Mexico Mail Coin Auction. 7/31/56. Fine. 1038 & 40 lots. 10 plates. Half of one plate has been cut out. But for the plate, Fine. 400 lots of foreign crowns. 19 lots of silk, linen, and velvet notgeld.
3. [Sale 4] Fortieth Anniversary. International Numismatic Mail Sale. 11/27/58. 38 pp. 1533 lots. 11ls.. including 3 of foreign coins. Better than Fine. 200 lots of coins of the Alouite Sultans of Morocco. Hundreds of rolls of U.S. coins. Much European and Latin American coinage. 37 lots of attributed low grade half cents.

630. Schulman, Hans M.F. [Sale 2] Coin Collectors Auction Sale. September 27, 1940. Small format, blue and white CaC. 36 pp. 1003 lots. Ills. The white back cover shows some slight soiling. Otherwise clean and virtually VF. (25.00)

Schulman conducted 5 sales between 1940 and 1942. Although his 1950, Sale 6, and after sales tend to be readily available, the first five sales are rare. Highlights: 137 lots of Canadian: 80 lots of attributed tokens. Arsinoe II dekadrachm. Some rare European gold. Spanish 1861 100 reals in gilt platinum and 1867 platinum 10 escudos. Much foreign coinage featuring European and Asian. This is a nice copy of a rare catalogue.

631. Smith, William H. Silver Semi-Annual Convention. California State Numismatic Association. November 5-8, 1959. Small format, silver CaC. 43 pp. 1850 lots. A strip of paper missing from the back cover, otherwise VF. (5.00)

Smith's first sale of four held through October 1960. 104 lots of unc commems. 1802 half cent 77 lots of large cents with 27 lots of early dates: Fine 1793 wreath, 2 1804s (VF & F). 1872-CC and 1873 CC dimes. 20 lots of private gold: Humbert "880" slug, VF 1860 Clark Gruber Pike's Peak \$10.00, 1849 Oregon Beaver Exchange \$5.00. 8 lots of Mormon paper money. Foreign crowns. Many rolls.

A Selection of Numismatic Books.

632. Adams, Edgar and W.H. Woodin. UNITED STATES PATTERN, TRIAL, AND EXPERIMENTAL PIECES. 1940 Jim Kelly reprint of the 1913 original. 196 pp. Ills. The covers are rubbed, heavily so at the extremities. The contents are clean and Fine. (15.00)

Ex-Libris James G. McNees with his name and A.N.A. number (8548) impressed in gilt on the cover. The first standard reference on patterns, later updated and revised by Judd and Breen. The best reference source for pattern collectors seeking patterns by A-W numbers.

633. Angell, Norman. THE STORY OF MONEY. 1929. 12mo, black cloth. 411 pp. Ills. Clean and Fine. (20.00)

Although it is described as a layman's guide to monetary issues, it contains useful chapters on the history of money in Europe and the United States. Except for a thin long scratch on the back cover, this is a really nice copy.

634. Davenport, John S. GERMAN TALERS SINCE 1800. 1949, 1st ed. 8vo, gray pebbled cloth. 206 pp. Ills. Vals. Errata sheet. 3 additional plates tipped in. Fine or better. (12.00)

C-S 9051". Covering Davenport numbers 501-996, this is one of the nicer copies of this early edition that we have seen.

635. Davis, A[ndrew] M[cFarland]. COLONIAL CURRENCY REPRINTS. Volume IV. 4 volumes. 1911 original edition. Thick 8vo, original tan printed wraps. xvi. 503 pp. Frontis. Ills. Unopened. The covers are chipped and detached. The contents are Fine. (40.00)

C-S 13293. Quoting from the estimable George Kolbe about the entire 4 volume series, "A mine of information on the numismatic, financial and economic aspects of American colonial currency, comprised of virtually all the contemporary tracts on the subject." This volumes contains documents from approximately 1748 to 1751. This volume was intended by the publisher to be rebound by the owner, thus accounting for its flimsy paper covers.

636. Doty, Richard. THE MAC MILLAN ENCYCLOPEDIA OF NUMISMATICS. 1982. Small 4to, maroon cloth and boards. 355 pp. Ills. 8 color pls. VF. (30.00)

An excellent reference source. "In addition to coins, coin denominations, and methods of coinage he deals with the related fields of medals, tokens, decorations, paper money ... coin weights and primitive money." (taken from Henry Grunthal's Foreword)

637. Doughty, Francis W. THE CENTS OF THE UNITED STATES. A Numismatist Study. 1934 Holland Davis reprint of the 1890 original. 8vo, tan CaC. 115 pp. Ills. 2 fold-out charts. The formerly detached covers have been taped at the backstrip and on the inside. The covers are moderately worn. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

C-S 12281. Doughty's work was essentially an unrevised reprint of the series written in 1887 by David Proskey's in Scott's COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. The text covers the early dates with two added fold-out charts of "Types, Dies, Variations, and Combinations" of the cents from 1816 to 1839 and "Types and Variations" from 1840 to 1857.

638. Head, Barclay. A GUIDE TO THE PRINCIPAL GOLD AND SILVER COINS OF THE ANCIENTS FROM CIRC. B.C. 700 TO A.D. 1. 1889, 1st ed. 12mo, printed boards. 128 pp. 28 fine pls. Completely disbound, mostly into signatures. The contents are clean and essentially Fine. A research copy. (15.00)

A descriptive cataloguing with accompanying historical text of the coinage from several cases in the Coin Room of the British Museum arranged into seven chronological periods and three geographical divisions. This classic was expanded and revised in several editions through 1959. This edition is quite scarce. With rebinding this would be essentially a Fine copy.

639. Hill, Thomas E. MONEY FOUND. Brought into the Absolutely Reliable Government Banks Established in the Interest of and Owned by the Whole People. 1894. 16mo, yellow paper covers. 121 pp. The front cover is chipped as are tiny sections of lower corners of about 20 adjacent leaves. VG. (10.00)

Although primarily another of the monetary works issued in the 1890's, there is a useful glossary of financial terms with information about national banks, currency, debt, and the number of lawyers in Congress.

640. James, Marquis and Bessie. BIOGRAPHY OF A BANK. THE STORY OF THE BANK OF AMERICA. 1954. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 566 pp. Ills. Better than Fine. (25.00)

An important, readable history of the world's then largest bank. Started by the son of Italian immigrants, it played a significant role in the recovery of San Francisco following the earthquake. Apparently this has been on the Harvard University recommended reading list for years. Always in demand.

641. Martin, Warwick. **THE MONEY OF NATIONS HISTORICALLY AND LEGALLY CONSIDERED**. 1880. 8vo, brown cloth, gilt. 261 pp. Good. (10.00)

Most of the work discusses U.S. paper currency, fiscal crises, national banking in the U.S., continental currency, banking and currency laws in various small sections. Despite the poor quality of the paper used, this is still most useful for its view of the period.

642. Robinson, Charles R. and Charles B. Young. **A NATION WITHOUT COINS**. 1965. 12mo, blue cloth. 139 pp. Charts. Fine. (10.00)

This serious work was concerned with discussing the potential consequences of the proposed removal of silver from U.S. coins. Included are sections detailing the bimetallic standard in various periods from 1792 onward. An important record of the then contemporary problem.

643. Shortt, Adam (ed.). **DOCUMENTS RELATING TO CANADIAN CURRENCY EXCHANGE AND FINANCE DURING THE FRENCH PERIOD**. Volume I. 1925. 4to. 577 pp. The front cover is detached but present. The front cover is missing. The contents are complete, but virtually disbound. Currently a research copy. (20.00)

Bilingual with the French on the versos and the English on the rectos. A compendium of documents issued between 1654 and 1726 detailing counterfeiting, currency, Canadian card money, and other issues of importance for the collector of Canadiana and U.S. colonials. Volume II, not present, covers the period through 1866. The poor quality of the binding is typical as this was intended to be rebound by the owner.

644. Tharp, Louise Hall. **SAINT GAUDENS AND THE GILDED ERA**. 1969. 8vo, gold cloth, gilt. 419 pp. 56 pls. VF. (15.00)

A most readable, substantial biography of Augustus Saint Gaudens. The extensive chapter notes and index are most useful.

645. White, Andrew Dickson. **FIAT MONEY IN FRANCE**. 1959. 16mo, ivory cloth, gilt. 124 pp. 1 plate. But for cover soiling, VF. (10.00)

White, one of the founders of Cornell University, served as its first President. The outgrowth of White's lectures on the French Revolution, this was publicly read before a meeting of Congressmen in 1876. This covers the period of the Assignats.

A Consignment from CHARLES KIRTLEY

CHARLES KIRTLEY from Elizabeth City, North Carolina is one of this country's prominent dealers in tokens and exonomia. He has conducted approximately 60 auctions and mail bids sales since 1983.

646. Adams, Edgar and W.H. Woodin. **UNITED STATES PATTERN, TRIAL, AND EXPERIMENTAL PIECES**. 1940 Jim Kelly reprint of the 1913 original. 196 pp. Ills. Many pencilled text notations. The covers are heavily rubbed and worn. The contents are Fine. (10.00)

The first standard reference on patterns, later updated and revised by Judd and Breen. The best reference source for pattern collectors seeking patterns by A-W numbers.

647. EDGAR H. ADAMS' PLATES OF LYMAN H. LOW'S HARD TIMES TOKENS. 1980 Quarterman reprint. 12mo, spiral bound heavy CaC, gilt. (6) pp. 15 fine pls. But for trivial soiling on the covers, VF. (25.00)

"This work is a lithographic compilation of Edgar H Adams' set of 15 individual photographic plates of Lyman H. Low's Hard Times Tokens originally produced circa 1914." The introduction was Alfred Reed's introduction which originally appeared in Wayte Raymond's 1942 Standard Catalogue. Dunham's "Instant Finding List" of 1910 has also been included. Quite scarce.

648. Album, Stephen. (2 books) **CATALOGUE OF CALIFORNIA MERCHANTS TOKENS**. Volume One: Northern California and Volume Two: Southern California and San Francisco. 1971, 1974. 8vo, green cloth and blue cloth. np & 394 pp. Ills. Rarity Guide. Generally VF. (25.00)

C-S 13977 & C-S 13979. In addition to the cataloguing of some 12,000 tokens, much important text and background material is included.

649. American Numismatic Society. **MUSEUM NOTES 24**. 1979. 8vo, blue printed CaC. 282 pp. 51 fine pls. Fine. (15.00)

This volume contains articles on primarily on the coinage of ancient Greece and Rome, and Islamic coinage. Authors for the scholarly monographs include: Morkholm, Houghton, Metcalf, Bruun, Bendall, and Bier.

650. Babelon, Jean and Jean Roubier. **PORTRAITS EN MEDAILLE**. 1946. Folio, pictorial card folder. (4) pp. 40 fine pls. Fine. (25.00)

The superb enlargements of portrait coins and medals were prepared by Roubier. A marvelous work for those who appreciate numismatic aesthetics.

651. Betts, Charles Wyllys (William T.R. Marvin and Lyman Haynes Low, eds.). **AMERICAN COLONIAL HISTORY ILLUSTRATED BY CONTEMPORARY MEDALS.** 1964 Canadian Numismatic Publishing Institute reprint of the 1894 original. 8vo, blue cloth. 332 pp. Frontis. Ills. Some dried, transparent glue adhering to the covers and spine. Otherwise nearly Mint. (25.00)
C-S 15025*. A quality reprint of the classic work detailing 623 medals, proclamation pieces, and Admiral Vernon medals beginning from 1556.
652. Bradbeer, William West. **CONFEDERATE AND SOUTHERN STATES CURRENCY.** Historical and Financial Data, Biographical Sketches, Descriptions with Illustrations. 1956 Bebee reprint of the 1915 original. 8vo, gray cloth, lettered in blue. 277 pp. Ills. Rarity Guide. VF. (15.00)
C-S 13443*. "still interesting despite other publications". The historical and financial data, and biographical sketches are still of value.
653. Breton, P.N. **POPULAR ILLUSTRATED GUIDE TO CANADIAN COINS, MEDALS, etc.** 1912. 8vo, original printed wraps. 195 pp. Frontis. Ills. 4 plates. The covers are slightly soiled and worn. The spine is chipped at the extremities. Taped at the bottom of the spine. The contents are clean and Fine. (30.00)
C-S 8518*. The source of the Breton catalogue numbers. Mostly line drawings, includes "Prices Paid" chart for 1017 examples of illustrated Canadian numismata. Also includes 4 halftone plates of distinguished numismatists: Courteau, Dow, MacFarlane, Renaud, Labrecque, Montambault, Parent, and Belanger. Bilingual text. Printed above the title, "A Real Gold Mine to All Persons Handling Coins." Much scarcer than Breton's 1894 **ILLUSTRATED HISTORY**.
654. Brotman, Irwin. **A GUIDE TO THE TEMPLE TOKENS OF INDIA.** 1970, 1st ed. 12mo, heavy flexible CaC. 208 pp. Ills. VF. (15.00)
C-S 13917. An illustrated descriptive cataloguing of hundreds of tokens with good historical and numismatic text. Quality English language references on Indian numismatics are quite elusive.
655. Brunk, Gregory G. **MERCHANT COUNTERMARKS ON WORLD COINS.** 1989. 4to, brown leatherette, gilt. 157 pp. Ills. Vals. Nearly Mint. (35.00)
1000 copies printed. This illustrated guide includes chapters on General Catalogue, Objects and Symbols, Oriental Languages, Unidentified hacienda Initials and Symbols, an Index of Geographical Locations, an Index of Occupations, and a useful bibliography.
656. Bushnell, Charles. **AN ARRANGEMENT OF TRADESMEN'S CARDS, POLITICAL TOKENS, ALSO ELECTION MEDALS, MEDELETS, &c....** 1962 (?) Federal Brands photocopied reprint of the 1858 original. 12mo, brown cloth. 117 pages on rectos. 4 engraved plates. lots. The covers are dusty, otherwise VF. (15.00)
C-S 13993*. This affordable edition of the rare reference was produced in a low quality photocopied reprint.
657. Coffee, Jr., John M. (editor). **ATWOODS CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES AND CANADIAN TRANSPORTATION TOKENS.** Third Edition. 1977 supplement. 8vo, red cloth, gilt. 244 pp. Vals. Nearly Mint. (20.00)
A production of the American Vecturist Association, this supplement contains listings for the period from January 1970 to January 1977, including all the tokens listed in **THE FARE BOX** for the designated period.
658. Cohen, Jr., Roger S. **AMERICAN HALF CENTS.** The "Little Half Sisters". 1971, first edition. 4to, tan cloth, lettered in brown. 105 pp. Ills. But for some trivial bowing in the binding (probably from being bent in shipping) VF. (20.00)
C-S 12278. This work and Breen's book on half cents are the two required works on the subject.
659. Courteau, Eugene G. **THE CANADIAN BOUQUET SOUS.** 1908. 12mo, later tan cloth. Part of the original cream printed paper covers are mounted on the front cloth cover. 24 pp. 4 pls. Additional blank pages for bulk. Rarity guide. Synoptical table. The cloth covers are slightly soiled. The original contents are essentially Fine. (20.00)
A descriptive cataloguing of 73 types of Bouquet Sous. This scarce early Courteau work is eagerly sought.
660. Davenport, John S. **EUROPEAN CROWNS 1700-1800.** 1961. 8vo, maroon cloth. 334 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)
C-S 7888*. This volume covers Davenport numbers 1001-1076.
661. Davenport, John S. **EUROPEAN CROWNS SINCE 1800.** 1947. 8vo, purple pebbled cloth. 193 pp. With Errata sheet and 2 additional plates. Ills. But for slight wear at the extremities of the spine, nearly VF. (20.00)
C-S 7886*. This was the Davenport's first separately published volume in the taler series. This is a particularly nice copy of this first edition.
662. Dewitt, J. Doyle. **A CENTURY OF CAMPAIGN BUTTONS.** 1959. 8vo, salmon cloth, gilt. 420 pp. Ills. Spotting on the half title and title page, otherwise nearly VF. (100.00)
Subtitled "a descriptive list of medalets, tokens, buttons, ferrotypes and other lapel devices relating to the national political campaigns from 1789 to 1889", this was the first comprehensive work on political exnumia. In the heady days of the early 1980's this brought \$270 in the 1981 Kolbe-Champa/Lee sale. Still sought after (and extremely scarce) This is a nice copy.
663. Dickeson, Montroville Wilson. **THE AMERICAN NUMISMATICAL MANUAL OF THE CURRENCY OR MONEY OF THE ABORIGINES, AND COLONIAL, STATE, AND UNITED STATES COINS.** With Historical and Descriptive Notices of Each Coin or Series. 1859, 1st ed. 4to, original cloth. 256 pp. Frontis of author. Libertas Americana plate. 19 numbered plates printed in color an metallic tints. The spine is heavily worn and torn halfway down. The covers are faded and worn at the corners and edges. The back of the Frontis and the

adjacent endpaper are foxed. Binding weakness at the middle signatures. The contents are sound and Fine. (150.00)

C-S 12280. Quoting from the estimable George Kolbe in his Seventh Joint Auction with Spink of Important Numismatic Books, December 9, 1988, lot 7, "Medical doctor, American archaeologist and numismatist, Dickeson in this popular work endeavored for the first time to cover the entire range of American numismatics. Like most pioneering efforts it is not without error. Nonetheless, it found immediate and widespread acceptance going through three editions in six years. It was an attractive, well-produced and extensive work filled with information still of interest today." This is in better condition, especially the contents, than the typical copy as this reference was actually and heavily used during the nineteenth century.

664. Dillistin, William H. BANK NOTE REPORTERS AND COUNTERFEIT DETECTORS 1826-1866. NNM-114. 1949. 175 pp. 19 plates. Nearly VF. (20.00)

Includes chapters on Early Banks, Counterfeiters and Counterfeiting, Wildcat Banks and Notes, and a valuable annotated list of The Reporters and their Publishers, among others. Important and underappreciated.

665. Donaldson, T.L. ANCIENT ARCHITECTURE On Greek and Roman Coins and Medals. Architectura Numismatica. 1961 Argonaut reprint of the 1859 original edition. 8vo, gray cloth, gilt. 361 pp. 92 enlarged illustrations. The joints are nearly separated, otherwise nearly VF. (15.00)

C-S 4755". "This classic illustrates the buildings of the classical world as represented on ancient coins and shows how these coins may be used to interpret or reconstruct architectural remains" - cribbed from a dustjacket.

666. Dow, Dottie. THE ELONGATED COLLECTOR. An Illustrated Check List of Elongated Coins. 1965. 12mo, copper covers, lettered in black. 209 pp. 111s. The covers are VG. The contents are Fine. (15.00)

Rosichan, p. 164. Autographed by the author. Organized by state and then by cities within. This profusely illustrated descriptive catalogue is still sought after and widely used.

667. Edkins, Donald O. (Compiler.) EDKINS' CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COAL COMPANY STORE SCRIP (TOKENS). 1977, 1st ed. 8vo, green cloth. 462 pp. 19 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (25.00)

C-S 14011. Published by the Catalogue Committee of The National Scrip Collectors Association, more than 10,000 different pieces are described in detail and given "an approximate market value, through a rarity scale rating".

668. Evans, George C. HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES MINT with ... a Complete Description of AMERICAN COINAGE from the Earliest Period to the Present Time. 1892. 8vo, missing paper covers. 180 pp. 111s. 32 plates of coins. The paper covers are missing. The outer leaves are loosening. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

The 1892 Mint Centennial Edition is perhaps the most eagerly sought volume, being especially scarce in the paper covered format. This edition features many halftone plates of coins with the prices realized from the 1890 Parmelee sale. As Evans' tend to come with heavily worn covers, and in a number of "varieties", the value of their contents and features tend to be overlooked or minimized. Also included are biographical sketches of mint personnel, and statistics of the "Annual Products of Gold and Silver in the different States, and Foreign Countries, with Monetary Statistics of all Nations."

669. Fischer, Jacques. SCULPTURE IN MINIATURE. The Andrew S. Ciechanowiecki Collection of Gilt and Gold Medals and Plaquettes. 1969. 4to, blue CaC., gilt. 221 pages of which 118 are plates. VF. (20.00)

C-S 14136. A catalogue of the collection of 460 items exhibited at the Museum of Fine Arts in Houston from DEcember 19, 1969 to February 1, 1970. This thoroughly catalogued collection "representing very diverse copies and dating from the fifteenth century to this day ... roughly encompasses the history of the medal in modern times." Important and underappreciated as a reference for medallist art.

670. Friedberg, Robert. PAPER MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES. 1953, 1st edition. 4to, green cloth gilt. 128 pp. 111s. Vals. The spine ends are worn. The hinges are weakened. The covers show some wear and spotting. The contents are clean and Fine. (30.00)

The elusive first edition. Many currency collectors have begun to collect all the "Friedberg" editions, much as many coin collectors have attempted to assemble complete sets of Redbooks.

671. Gibson, J. Harris. BRITISH MILITARY & NAVAL MEDALS AND DECORATIONS. 1880. 12mo, cloth and marbelled boards. 141 pp. The covers are disbound, but present. Ex-libris. The binding is sound. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

This descriptive cataloguing covers several hundred medals from 1643, apparently the first recorded British medal, onward. Gibson published an earlier edition in 1866. The library markings are not significantly intrusive. Quite scarce.

672. Gwynne & Day (Bankers). THE DESCRIPTIVE REGISTER OF GENUINE BANK NOTES for the Detection of Spurious and Altered Bills. 1977 reprint of the 1862 original. 4to, green cloth, gilt. 168 pp. 111s. The cloth covers are slightly dusty and the top corners are bumped, otherwise VF. (20.00)

C-S 13627. A worthy substitute for the elusive, expensive original (which after being issued were heavily used). Important for the collector of obsolete notes. Added in typescript to the original title page "From the Library of Eric P Newman".

673. Hawkins, Edward A.W. and Herbert A Grueber. MEDALLIC ILLUSTRATIONS OF THE HISTORY OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND TO THE DEATH OF GEORGE II. 1979 Quarterman reprint of the 1904-1911 original editions. Folio, blue cloth, gilt. 183 fine plates, each with descriptive text, and indexes. But for some dustiness or slight soiling on the cloth covers, VF or better. (100.00)

C-S 14691". Grierson, p. 264 - "L'ouvrage le plus important". From the Introduction by Barclay Head in 1904, "when the work on English Medals, issued by the Trustees of the British Museum in 1885 .. was initiated, the art of representing medals by the collotype process had not been attempted. It is therefore proposed to figure [plate] the entire series of medals, badges, counters, &c, described in the MEDALLIC ILLUSTRATIONS".

This superb reprint apparently used the collotype process for illustrations as these are definitely not halftones. The original edition was housed in 15 folio editions and is extremely rare. Even, this superb reprint of this magnificent, important work has become extremely elusive.

674. Hill, G.F. **ANCIENT GREEK AND ROMAN COINS. A HANDBOOK.** 1964 Argonaut reprint of the 1899 original. 8vo, blue cloth. 181 pp. 13 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (15.00)

C-S 1650. The coinage is explained in the context of history, art, religion, and mythology. This reprint of a basic, but not trivial, guide has an additional plate and an improved select bibliography.

675. Johnson, Malcolm. **THE GREAT LOCOFOCO JUGGERNAUT. A New Console-a-tory Sub-Treasury Rag-Monster: A Cartoon Bank Note** by D.C. Johnston. 1971. 8vo, cloth and marbelled boards. 36 pp. Ills. But for some rub at the corners of the back cover, VF. (25.00)

The plate with the engraved bank note is missing. This volume provides quite useful historical information about the period during which Hard Times tokens were issued. The contents include a biographical sketch of D.C. Johnston, a short history of the events leading to the founding of the Sub-Treasury, and explanation of the satirical banknote, and a brief bibliography. Scarce.

676. Judd, J. Hewitt. **UNITED STATES PATTERN, EXPERIMENTAL AND TRIAL PIECES.** 1977, 6th ed. 276 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12443* "With the research collaboration of Walter Breen ... and Abe Kosoff." The appended material includes die trials, mint errors, pieces not of mint origin, and false pieces.

677. Ladd, Raymond. **THE ILLUSTRATED GRADING GUIDE TO ANCIENT NUMISMATICS.** 1977. 8vo, printed CaC. 47 pp. Ills. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (10.00)

While the line drawn grading guide is of debatable utility, the book contains a useful terminology lexicon and a brief discussion of ancient coin production.

678. Leroux, Joseph. **THE CANADIAN COIN CABINET / MEDAILLIER DU CANADA.** The 1983 Paul Nadin-Davis and Douglas Robins abridged reprint of the 1892 second edition. 8vo, glossy CaC. 301, 8 pp. Ills. VF. (15.00)

This abridged reprint contains only the sections devoted to Canadian medals and Leroux's 1892 supplement to the second edition.

679. Leslie, Elwin C. and A.F. Pradeau. **HENEQUIN PLANTATION TOKENS OF THE YUCATAN PENINSULA, MEXICO.** 1971. 12mo, green CaC, plastic spiral binding. 138 pp. Ills. VF. (.00)

A descriptive cataloguing of more than 100 tokens preceded by excellent historical text.

680. Liberty Seated Collectors Club. **THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL. COLLECTIVE VOLUME Number One.** 1980. 4to maroon leatherette, gilt. 387 pp. Ill. VF. (35.00)

This compendium consists of nearly 150 articles, letters, and features covering all aspects of seated coinage which were originally printed in the GOBRECHT JOURNAL from 1974 to 1980. Not only are the individual issues scarce, but this compendium has become most elusive.

681. Mazzula, Fred and Jo. **BRASS CHECKS AND RED LIGHTS.** 1966. 12mo, pictorial red and white CaC. 55 pp. Ills. But for the covers being a trifle soiled. VF. (15.00)

Autographed by both authors. Primarily an illustrated overview of "Parlor Houses" in the old west, but there is some discussion of the exonumia issued therefrom.

682. Mac Dowall, David W. **THE WESTERN COINAGES OF NERO.** NNM-161. 1979. 256 pp. 25 pls. VF. (30.00)

C-S 4161. An ANS monograph - "This study . . . seeks to apply to this rich coinage [of Nero] the principles of die study and type analysis." The standard reference. For the U. S. collector who happens to be reading this, consider this a sort of Nero Whimsy.

683. Morgan, J[oseph] McDowell. **MILITARY MEDALS AND INSIGNIA OF THE UNITED STATES.** 1941. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 164 pp. Ills., 2 plates in color. The covers soiled, heavily at the spine, and are slightly worn. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (20.00)

C-S 15726. A descriptive cataloguing of the topic material, profusely illustrated and with not useful background text.

684. Morgan, James F. **GRAYBACKS AND GOLD. Confederate Monetary Policy.** 1985. 8vo, brown cloth, gilt. 161 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (20.00)

A scholarly, profusely illustrated discussion including chapters on Confederate coinage, paper money, treasury notes, scrip, warrants. The illustrations are of coinage, paper money, and tokens. Scarce.

685. Newman, Eric. **THE EARLY PAPER MONEY OF AMERICA.** 1967, 1st ed. 4to, cloth. 359 pp. Ills. VF. (25.00)

C-S 13309*. The first edition of this standard reference covers the "historical, statistical, and descriptive [aspects of] paper money from 1686 to 1789". Over 500 issues are included. This is a classic reference from one of America's great numismatic researchers who was the 1989 winner of the Numismatic Bibliomania Society's Armand Champa Award for Excellence in the Field of Numismatic Literature.

686. Noe, Sydney P. **THE PINE TREE COINAGE OF MASSACHUSETTS.** NNM 125. 1952. 48 pp. 11 plates. Clean and Fine. (20.00)

In addition to text, it catalogues and plates 36 coins and 26 fabrications. Important. Scarce and in-demand.

687. Raymond, Wayte. **EARLY NEW YORK CITY AND STATE MERCHANTS' TOKENS 1789-1850.** 1936. 12mo, blue heavy CaC. 24 pp. Ills. 2 plates. The covers are a trifle discolored, otherwise VF. (20.00)

C-S 14050. By far the scarcest of the Raymond monographs, this describes, with illustrations of both sides, 137 of these tokens.

688. Pridmore, Maj. Fred. **THE COINS OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OF NATIONS to the end of the Reign of George VI. PART I: EUROPEAN TERRITORIES.** 1960. 8vo, pictorial red and white cloth. 98 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers are soiled and stained. The contents are clean and nearly VF. (20.00)

C-S 9936*. A revision of Atkins' 1889 work, "the object has been to include ... the maximum detail possible relating to each possible issue." (p. 4) This volume covers the Isle of Man, Cyprus, the Channel islands, Malta, Gibraltar, the Ionian Islands, and Lundy. As with Pridmore's other works, this volume is essential for the proof and patterns of this region and for Pridmore's annotations about the particular issues and varieties. Much of the information is not available elsewhere.

689. Reiter, Melvin. **CATALOGUE OF MILK OR DAIRY TOKENS IN THE COLLECTION OF MELVIN REITER.** 1986, 2nd ed (?). 4to, spiral bound CaC. 452 pp. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (25.00)

A descriptive cataloguing state-by-state, also including Canada and other countries, and miscellaneous tokens of over 4500 tokens.

690. Reiver, Jules. **REIVER SYSTEM FOR THE RAPID ATTRIBUTION OF THE MATURE HEAD UNITED STATES COPPER CENTS 1843-1857.** 1982, 5th ed. 4to, light green CaC, the contents typescript. 49 pp. Ills. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (15.00)

Developed by the estimable Mr. Reiver, this is much easier to use than Newcomb.

691. Risk, James C. **BRITISH ORDERS AND DECORATIONS.** NNM-106. 124 pp. Frontis. 76 plates. VF. (40.00)

This most eagerly sought monograph covers the British honors system, the great orders, orders of merit, miscellaneous orders, military decorations, and civil decorations. Of note is an appendix which lists the precedence of 45 orders and decorations.

692. Rodney, Richard S. **COLONIAL FINANCES IN DELAWARE.** 1928. 12mo, oversized heavy CaC. 68 pp. Ills. The fore edges untrimmed. The covers are slightly soiled and at the overlap worn. With the exception of one formerly bent leaf, the contents are VF. (35.00)

C-S 13330. This is a scholarly discussion of the material written by Rodney, an associate judge of the Delaware supreme court. There are 20 illustrations of Colonial currency. The tables list issuers of paper money and authorized signers, and trustees of Loan offices. Quite scarce.

693. Sear, David. **ROMAN COINS AND THEIR VALUES.** 1974, 2nd revised edition. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 376 pp. Frontis. Ills. Vals. 12 pls. VF. (20.00)

C-S 3630*. "Besides giving a clear idea of the comparative values of many Roman coin types this book provides much useful background information, both historic and numismatic." (cribbed from the dust jacket). Still in demand as a useful one volume guide

694. Storer, Malcolm. **NUMISMATICS OF MASSACHUSETTS.** 1923. Small 4to, original cloth and boards. xi, 318 pp. Frontis. 38 pls. The covers are worn at the corners and the ends of the spine. The contents are clean and Fine. (55.00)

C-S 15092. Ex-libris Charles Johnson. A descriptive cataloguing of nearly 200 medals and storecards in the collection of the Massachusetts Historical Society. Organized alphabetically by town or city and alphabetically or chronologically within. Storer hoped that others would follow his lead and prepare a "corpus nummorum" of minor medals for the rest of the states. This scarce original edition is especially important for the Bolen items.

695. Thian, Raphael. **REGISTER OF THE CONFEDERATE DEBT.** 1972 Quarterman reprint of the 1880 original. 8vo, gray boards. 190 pp. Ills. Sticky residue on the front cover, apparently from a dust cover of some kind, otherwise VF. (15.00)

Includes a 29 page introduction by Douglas Ball with the living history of the extremely rare volume of which only five originals are known.

696. Vacketta, Ore H. **CATALOGUE OF ILLINOIS TRADE TOKENS. VOLUME I. Comprising a Detailed Listing of Merchant Trade Tokens of Illinois.** 1973. 8vo, blue cloth. 330 pp. Ills. Rarity Guide. But for some shelf rub on the covers, VF. (15.00)

C-S 14069 Each token is designated by a code for the place name, a number, material from which it is made, size in millimeters, description of both obverse and reverse inscriptions, design if any and a rarity number.

697. Van Belkum, Louis. **NATIONAL BANKS OF THE NOTE ISSUING PERIOD 1863-1935.** 1968. 8vo, tan cloth. 408 pp. VF. (12.00)

C-S 13532 This useful, practical one volume reference lists all the chartered banks (including name changes) by state, city, amount of currency issued and outstanding.

698. Wismer, David C. **THE OBSOLETE BANKNOTES OF NEW ENGLAND.** 1972 Quarterman reprint. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 311 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

This was originally published serially in **THE NUMISMATIST** between 1922 and 1925. From the Foreword by George Wait. "still the most complete reference describing" the subject.

699. Wismer, David C. **DESCRIPTIVE LIST OF OLD PAPER MONEY ISSUED IN OHIO.** (A List of the Early Notes in Circulation Prior to 1866). Undated (early 1960's) reprint of the 1932 original. 8vo, green cloth. 50 pages on rectos. The covers are dusty and soiled. The contents are essentially VF. (10.00)

This low quality photocopied production, which was the state of the art when produced, lists and describes 529 notes organized by city with an index organized alphabetically by bank. Although the illustrations of the notes are weak, the text is quite satisfactory. The foreword is a succinct history of Ohio banking for the period

A FEW AUCTION CATALOGUES

700. Elder, Thomas. [Sale 48] **Sale of the Collection of Rare American Coins of WILLIAM H. WOODIN, Esqr.** March 2-4, 1911. 75 pp. 1602 lots. Original PRL. A few prices pencilled in the margin. The covers are disbound, but present. The contents are clean and nearly Fine. (25.00)

Outstanding U.S. gold. Gold Dollars, "The Finest Collection ever Offered at Public Auction", including an 1861-0, an unc 1870-S, and an 1875 proof. \$2.50s: "The Finest and Largest Collection [205 lots] Ever Offered at Public Sale" 1797 p/l unc (\$310); 1826/25; 1834 old type with motto; 1843 proof "unique"; 1845-0; 1848 proof "unique". 1856-D; 1857-0 unc; 1863 proof. \$3.00's: "The Finest and the only Complete Collection of this Denomination ever Offered at Public Auction" 1854-D, 1855 proof, 1857 proof, 1865 proof, 1870-S with certificate of genuineness, 1873 proof, 1875 proof, 1876 proof \$10.00's: p/l unc 1798 over 1797, 1804 proof, 1838 proof, 1843 proof, 1848 proof "unique", 1858 proof.

Also 20 lots of patterns from 1870, some multiple lots. 3 Humbert 1851 octagonal slugs: unc "880 Thous", unc & EF "887 Thous". Extensive bust and seated halves. 1827 restrike quarter. 18-4 dime. Fair 1802 half dime. Proof half cents. 1831, 1836, 1840-1848, 1852.

A sale of great importance, the catalogue is quite scarce (even in this condition) and the original PRL is rare.

701. The KOIN-X-CHANGE Shop (Rollo E. Gilmore). **II Catalogue of Rare Coins....** December 13, 1932. 32 pp. 1342 lots. A PRICED COPY Vertical fold. Pencilled notation on the front cover. Additional pencilled notations inside. Bid sheet neatly torn out. Fine. (15.00)

A comprehensive but undistinguished offering. Scarce. The KOIN-X-CHANGE conducted the 1933 auction.

702. The KOIN-X-CHANGE Shop. **III Catalogue of Rare Coins....** February 7, 1933. 24 pp. 1161 lots. A PRICED COPY. Bid sheet neatly torn out. Fine. (15.00)

Also a comprehensive but undistinguished offering. Also scarce.

703. Pine Tree Auction Company. **THE EARLY AMERICAN COPPERS SOCIETY CONVENTION AUCTION SALE.** February 15, 1975. 4to, pictorial CaC. 133 pp. 1079 lots. 33 pls. The covers are VG. The contents are better than Fine. (45.00)

C-S 12380. "This sale featured the extraordinary collection of Connecticut cents formed by Q. David Bowers. The text was meticulously crafted over a period of three months by Walter Breen, and represents the finest catalogue ever produced for this series. It is an absolute must for the library of every serious collector of colonials!" wrote Jack Collins in his classic July 4, 1987 sale of numismatic literature. However, Jack did not mention that 2 1794 starred reverse cents were offered here also.

A Consignment from RICK PONTERIO

RICK PONTERIO of Ponterio and Associates in San Diego for many years has been a dealer in foreign coins specializing in the coinage of Mexico. Since 1976, he has conducted over 40 mail-bid sales and public auctions of better quality Mexican and foreign coinage since 1976, during which time he has also put out many quality fixed price lists.

704. Azteca Numismatic Society. **PLUS ULTRA. The Azteca Numismatic Society Bulletin.** The first two volumes complete in 24 issues from October 19, 1963 to September 25, 1965. 4to, typescript. 111s. Bound in two cardboard binders. The issues are VF. (25.00)

Each of the issues, generally 4 or 6 pages, contains club news and worthwhile articles about Mexican numismatics. These early issues are scarce complete and in nice condition. Incidentally, the ugly, worn binders should be replaced.

705. Basso, Aldo. **COINS, MEDALS, AND TOKENS OF THE PHILIPPINES.** 1968 1st ed. 8vo, gold cloth. 136 pp. 111s. Vals. Better than Fine. (15.00)

C-S 10950. A descriptive cataloging with good historical text of 980 coins, medals, and tokens from 1728 onward. An excellent one volume guidebook.

706. Breen, Walter. **"A COINER'S CAVIAR".** Walter Breen's Encyclopedia of United States and Colonial Proof Coins 1722-1977. 1977. 4to, brown cloth, gilt. 324 pp. 111s. VF or better. (80.00)

C-S 12268. The standard reference for the subject. Despite the recent release of a new softbound edition which contains modest additional material, this edition remains in strong demand for its hardbound format.

707. Calico, F, X. Calico, and J. Trigo. **NUMISMATICA ESPANOLA 1474-1988.** Catalogo de las Acunaciones Realizadas desde Los Reyes Catolicos a Juan Carlos I. Compendio De Todas Las Emisiones De Las Cecas Peninsulares Y Provincias Espanolas De America Durante Cinci Siglos. 1988, 7th ed. 4to, green leatherette, gilt. 701 pp. 111s. Vals. Nearly Mint. (75.00)

This huge, handsome, standard catalogue is profusely illustrated and lists each issue in all metals by ruler, accompanied by a catalogue number, date, and value. This is of great use for the cob issues and for the pillar and portrait series.

708. Cayon, Juan and Carlos Castan. LAS MONEDAS ESPANOLAS DESDE D. PELAYO A JUAN CARLOS I. 1979. Small thick 4to, brown leatherette, gilt. 1166 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (25.00)

This huge volume, a standard reference, is a cataloguing of over 20,000 issues from 728 onward. It is of special value for the early hammered and milled issues, and for the listing of each denomination by mint, including old world and new world mints. Despite being entirely in Spanish, anyone will find this easy to use. The valuations are especially useful for identifying rarities.

709. Craig, Alan K. GOLD COINS OF THE 1715 SPANISH PLATE FLEET: A Numismatic Study of the State of Florida Collection. Florida Archaeology, Number 4, 1988. 8vo, tan cloth, gilt. 83 pages of which 12 are color plates. Glossary. Bibliography. Nearly Mint. (20.00)

Chapter 3 and the plates are included twice. The work focuses on the issues in the state's collection of emissions from Lima, Cuzco, Mexico, and Bogota mints, noting the striking characteristics of each mint's coinage and production techniques. A handsome volume.

710. Deana Salmeron, Antonio. LA CASA DE MONEDA DE DURANGO. Acunaciones de Plata 1824-1895. 1983, Puebla. 8vo, tan CaC. 279 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (25.00)

"The 8 reales produced by the Durango mint" including a history of the mint and a thorough cataloguing of each of the emissions, the minters, the assayers, and a useful bibliography.

711. Deana Salmeron, Antonio. LA Ceca Republicana de Oaxaca. Acunaciones de Plata 1858-1893. 1979. Puebla. 8vo, tan CaC. 187 pp. 12 page supplement. Ills. Other than some chipping at the spine, not unusual for this volume, VF. (25.00)

C-S 10769. A standard reference on the 8 reales produced by the Oaxaca mint, including a history of the mint. Each issue is thoroughly described in Spanish.

712. Elizondo, Carlos, A. EIGHT REALES AND PESOS OF THE NEW WORLD. 1971. 8vo, red cloth, gilt. 237 pp. Ills. Vals. Nearly VF. (15.00)

C-S 11468. This quasi-"Redbook" for the series is a handy reference for both the regular issues and the emergency issues and counterstamps.

713. Erbstein, Julius and Albert. DIE RITTER VON SCHULTHESS-RECHBERG'SCHE MUNZ- U. MEDAILLEN-SAMMLUNG. 1974 Quarterman reprint of the two volumes published in Dresden in 1868 & 1869. Thick 8vo, brown cloth. 435, 20, 604, 17 pp. 7380 lots. PRLs for each volume. The covers and edges are soiled. Fine. (25.00)

C-S 7972. Until the Davenport was completed, this was the best reference available, as the Erbsteins conducted the auction of von Schulthess's magnificent collection of talers from the beginning through 1860. This is a descriptive cataloguing with a rarity scale. Due to the superb cataloguing, only the most casual acquaintance of German is necessary to benefit from this work. The English language introduction is helpful.

714. Grove, Frank W. MEDALS OF MEXICO. Vol. II: 1821-1971. 1972. 4to, white cloth, gilt. 476 pp. Many Ills. The covers are soiled, and the spine is slightly discolored. Smoke damage to top edge (a perfect match to the above lot). The contents are VF. (20.00)

C-S 14887. Copy 252 of 2500. The medals are organized by topics: Events, Commercial, Expositions, Masonic, Personages, Bolos (christening pieces), and Scholastic. A most impressive work.

715. Grove, Frank W. TOKENS OF MEXICO. 1989. 4to, blue cloth, gilt. 280 pp. Line drawn illustrations. But for two long scratches on the cover, VF to nearly Mint. (20.00)

A descriptive cataloguing with accompanying line drawings of both sides of 2031 tokens.

716. Guinovart, Jorge. LA PLATA ESPANOLA. Acunaciones a Partir de Felipe V. 1972. 3vo, gray cloth lettered in silver. 133 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (20.00)

C-S 11360. This covers all Spanish and Spanish world silver issued in all denominations from 1701 onward. Important for the listings of individual mint issues.

717. Lhotka, John F. INTRODUCTION TO EAST ROMAN (BYZANTINE) COINAGE. 1989. 12mo, white glossy printed CaC. 117 pages of which 4 are plates. VF. (15.00)

Most of the material originally appeared serially in THE NUMISMATIST and then with work on the common bronzes was released as an ANA reprint as INTRODUCTION TO EAST ROMAN COINAGES. "This is the only reference aimed at the basic collector and provides a stepping stone to the more advanced references".

718. Lhotka, John F. INTRODUCTION TO MEDIEVAL BRACTATES. 1989. 12mo, white glossy printed CaC. 47 pp. 8 pls. VF. (15.00)

The material originally appeared serially in THE NUMISMATIST in 1958. Still the best English language reference on the topic. "The theory is by using this reference, a collector can acquire the knowledge so he then can attribute most of his unknown coins" with the help of Gaetgens and other auction catalogues. Of particular value are the 8 pages of illustrations with descriptive text on the facing pages.

719. Lhotka, John F. and P.K. Anderson. SURVEY OF MEDIEVAL IBERIAN COINAGES. 1989. 12mo, white glossy printed CaC. 123 pp. Ills. VF. (15.00)

The material originally appeared serially in THE NUMISMATIST. This is one of the few references available on medieval Iberian (Spanish and Portuguese) coinage, especially written in English.

720. Low, Lyman. **HARD TIMES TOKENS**. 1977 Durst reprint of the 1899, 2nd revised edition. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 95 pages of which 13 are line drawn plates. VF. (15.00)

This reprint includes the Low's supplement and also Dunham's 1910 "Quick Finding" guide.

721. Moreno, Alvaro. **EL SIGNO DE PESOS. CUAL ES SU ORIGEN Y QUE REPRESENTA**. 1965. 8vo, oversized tan CaC. 105 pp. Ills. Unopened. The covers are slightly soiled. The contents are VF. (20.00)

Ex-libris Azteca Numismatic Society. Written entirely in Spanish, requiring a reading knowledge thereof

722. Pagani, Antonio. **MONETE ITALIANE Dall'Invasione Napoleonica al Giorni, Nostri (1796-1961)**. 1962, 1st ed. 4to, green cloth covers. 363 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers are VG. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

C-S 10210*. A standard catalogue of Italian coinage with profuse illustrations and detailed cataloguing. This is of particular utility for Italian states issues. Easy to use without familiarity in Italian.

723. Robles de la Torre, Jose Leon. **MONEDAS MEXICANAS, 1536-1966**. 1968. Oblong 4to, pictorial CaC. 195 pp. Ills. Vals. The glossy card covers are soiled. Otherwise Fine. (20.00)

A quasi-"Redbook" for the coinage issued from 1536 onward. Quite useful for the early issues and for the listing of each of the issues according to mint. Written entirely in Spanish, still quite easily used.

724. Rynearson, Paul F. **BYZANTINE COIN VALUES**. 1971, 2nd ed. 12mo, yellow printed and pictorial boards. 112 pages of which 3 are plates. Ills. VF. (10.00)

This volume describes 522 coins from the sixth to the fifteenth century. This also includes many useful line drawings of the catalogued coins and a dictionary of ancient coin terms. Still quite useful for the beginner or those with casual acquaintance for this "Byzantine" series.

725. Taxay, Don. **SCOTT'S COMPREHENSIVE CATALOGUE AND ENCYCLOPEDIA OF U.S. COINS, 1971 1970**, 1st ed. 397 pp. 115 pls. VF. (30.00)

Taxay's scholarship and research is invaluable for all series of coins from colonials to gold, patterns and private gold.

726. Thun, Norbert. **DEUTSCHE TALER, DOPPELGULDEN, DOPPELTALER von 1800 bis 1871**. 1976. 12mo, black cloth and gray boards. 272 pp. Ills. Vals. Nearly VF. (20.00)

C-S 9124. 468 talers, double talers, and double guldens are catalogued and illustrated including mintages and valuations in three grades, and with Davenport and Jaeger numbers. Although it is written in entirely in German, it is easily used without having any German language skills. Perhaps the best compact, one volume source.

727. Tingstrom, Bertel. **SWEDISH COINAGE. An Illustrated Reference Book of Swedish Numismatics 1521-1968**. 1969. 8vo, red cloth, lettered in silver. 271 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (25.00)

C-S 11625*. This comprehensive reference contains a great deal of text material covering numismatic history, tables of moneys & mint marks, translations of legends, heraldry, and a descriptive cataloguing of the round coins, klippes, and plate money. This superb work is especially useful for the numerous plates of the hammered issues. Perhaps the best English language reference.

AUCTION CATALOGUES

728. Hess, Adolph. **Sammlung des Herrn GEORG F. ULEX-HAMBURG. Munzen und Medaillen Nord-, Central-, und Sud-Amerika** Undated, unidentified photocopied reprint of the May 11-12, 1908 auction. 8vo, plastic, spiral bound CaC. 173 pages on rectos. 4176 lots. PRL. 6 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (15.00)

C-S 10559*. This massive, classic catalogue includes 120 lots of mostly attributed Canadian and maritime coins and tokens. Also included are over 1000 colonials, tokens and medals for the U.S. Rare colonials are included. Obviously the catalogue's primary value is for Mexican and Latin American coins, medals, and tokens. Although this is a photocopy, it is still quite useful for the descriptive cataloguing of this magnificent collection.

729. Numismatic Fine Arts (and Bank Leu). [Sale 13A] **The GARRETT Collection, Part I. May 16-18, 1984**. 4to, white glossy CaC. 402 pp. 1362 lots. Estimate sheet. 140 monochrome plates. 1 color plate. But for the slightest wear characteristic of white glossy card covers, VF. (25.00)

The catalogue begins with a 60 page, illustrated article - "The Garretts of Baltimore, Collectors and Patrons" - written by Catherine Lorber. Some of the chapters include "Early History and Philanthropies of the Garrett family", "T. Harrison Garrett as a Collector", "Robert Garrett as Collector-Curator", "John Work Garrett and Auction Sales", and "John Work Garrett and the American Numismatic Society".

The sale offers coinage of the Far East: Islamic & Indian coinage catalogued by Steve Album; ancient Roman Republican and Imperial coinage (catalogued by Lorber and David Sear), preceded by a David Sear monograph - "The Coinage of Republican and Imperial Rome Prior to the Age of Constantine"; coinage of Latin America, catalogued by Don Canaparo; and coinage of Canada, Australia, and Africa, catalogued by Steven Harvey.

This expertly catalogued sale features thorough provenancing, precise attributions, extensive text material, and of course absolutely stunning coinage. This utterly magnificent catalogue which has tended to have been ignored since it was issued must be ranked with the finest auction catalogues of the last several decades. This is a vastly underappreciated classic.

730. Numismatic Fine Arts (and Bank Leu). [Sale 13B] **The GARRETT Collection, Part II. October 16-18, 1984**. 4to, white glossy CaC. 344 pp. 1858 lots. PRL. Estimate sheet. 145 pls. But for the slightest wear characteristic of white glossy card covers, VF. (20.00)

As Part II was held in Zurich, the catalogue is variously in English and German. The offerings include the "Ancient World" - Greek, Celtic, late Roman and Byzantine - catalogued by Silvia Hurter; the Middle Ages, and European coinage from

the fifteenth to the twentieth centuries. The superbly catalogued ancient Greek and medieval European coinage are of exceptional importance. This part of the Garrett sale was overseen by Dr. Leo Mildenberg, founder of the Numismatic Department of Bank Leu.

731. Ponterio & Wyatt. 4 of 5 Auction Catalogues from Sale 4 (June 23, 1981) to Sale 8 (November 8, 1982). Each with the PRL. Large format, glossy white pictorial covers. Fine and better. (20.00)

In addition to excellent world coinage, especially silver and gold, the profusely illustrated Ponterio & Wyatt sales featured excellent Mexican coinage in all metals, and from all eras.

[1]. Sale 4, 6/21/81, 59 pp., 702 lots, ill. [2]. Sale 5, 10/20/81, np. 500 lots, ill. [3] Sale 7, 6/22/82, np. 1406 lots, ill. [4] Sale 8, np., 864 lots, ill.

732. Ponterio & Associates. 21 Auction Catalogues from Sale 9 to Sale 38. March 10, 1983 to November 1, 1989. Each is large format with glossy CaC. Each sale averages 60 pages and 1000 lots. The glossy covers show rubbing (several with heavy rub). The contents are clean and VF. (100.00)

Sales 9-11, 14-18, 20-21, 24, 30-38 (including both parts of Sale 33). Each has the PRL except sales 16 and 30. Also included are PRLs for sales 19, 22, & 23.

With sale 9, the firm's name was changed as Charles Wyatt established his own firm. Ponterio's sales continued to feature excellent world coinage, and Mexican coinage, medals, and paper money, but also added ancient coins. Several of his auctions were held with major conventions: C.O.I.N. '84, New York International 1984 featuring Mexican proclamations, C.O.I.N. '86 featuring the Frank Grove Collection of Mexican coins, C.O.I.N. '88 featuring the Norman Robbins collection of Spanish colonial coins and The Slocum collection of Latin-American crowns, C.O.I.N. '89 featuring Part I of the Witte Museum collection and the Sergio Torres Martinez collection of Mexican coins. Sale 34 also featured the Ernesto Torres collection of Mexican coins.

Ponterio's catalogues serve as excellent resource guides for world and ancient coinage in general, and for Mexican numismatic material specifically. It is quite unusual to be able to offer so many catalogues, especially with the PRLs.

All 10 Parts of Sotheby's BRAND Collection Sales

Virgil Brand is one of the great names in twentieth century American numismatics. His legendary status has been definitively chronicled in Q. David Bowers 1983 VIRGIL BRAND: The Man and His Era. Profile of a Numismatist. After Brand's death in 1926, his collection was split between Armin and Horace Brand. Jane Brand Allen received these coins from her father Armin. The executors of Mrs. Allen's estate selected Sotheby's to auction these coins which took 10 sales held between July 1982 and October 1985. Each of the catalogues is bound identically - octavo, with heavy brown card covers lettered in gilt. Except for a bit of chalky rub on two of the catalogues, they are each VF.

733. Sotheby's (Zurich). The BRAND Collection. [Part 1] ROMAN and EUROPEAN Coins. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. July 1, 1982. np. Frontis. 371 lots. PRL. Each lot illustrated on both sides. 3 color pls. 5 monochrome plates of enlargements of ancient coins. VF. (20.00)

734. Sotheby's (Zurich). The BRAND Collection. [Part 11] SWISS Coins. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. November 11, 1982. np. 550 lots. Estimate sheet. Color frontis. 22 monochrome pls. Some cover rub. The top corner is slightly bent throughout, otherwise VF. (20.00)

735. Sotheby's (Zurich). The BRAND Collection. [Part 3] GREEK and ROMAN Coins. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. June 9, 1983. np. 469 lots. Frontis. 1 color plate. Each lot illustrated on both sides. 7 monochrome plates of enlargements. The contents are heavily annotated in ink, apparently an auction room copy. Still nearly VF. (25.00)

736. Sotheby's (London). The BRAND Collection. [Part 4] RUSSIAN and POLISH Coins. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. November 3, 1983. np. 459 lots. Frontis. 21 monochrome plates. 1 color plate. VF. (20.00)

737. Sotheby's (London). The BRAND Collection. [Part 5] GREEK and ROMAN Coins. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. February 1-2, 1984. np. 718 lots. Frontis. 14 monochrome plates. VF. (25.00)

738. Sotheby's (Amsterdam). The BRAND Collection. [Part 6] Coins of THE NETHERLANDS. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. May 17-18, 1984. np. 649 lots. Frontis. 2 color plates. 55 monochrome plates. VF. (20.00)

739. Sotheby's (London). The BRAND Collection. [Part 7] ANCIENT COINS. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. October 25, 1984. np. 715 lots. Frontis. 18 monochrome plates. VF. (20.00)

740. Sotheby's (Zurich). The BRAND Collection. [Part 8] SWISS, AUSTRIAN, and GERMAN Coins. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. January 24, 1985. np. 858 lots. Frontis. 11s. 2 color plates. VF. (25.00)

741. Sotheby's (London). The BRAND Collection. [Part 9] COLONIAL and INDIAN Coins. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. June 14, 1985. np. 366 lots. Frontis. 11 monochrome plates. VF. (20.00)

742. Sotheby's (London). The BRAND Collection. [Part 10 -The Final Portion] CLASSICAL and MODERN COINS and MEDALS. From the Collection of VIRGIL M. BRAND Sold by the Order of the Executors of the Estate of JANE BRAND ALLEN. October 24, 1985. np. 630 lots. Frontis. 19 pls. VF. (20.00)

743. Superior Galleries. October '84 Sale. October 1-2, 1984. 4to, aqua cloth, lettered in silver. 162 pp. 2567 lots. PRL tipped in. Ills. Nearly Mint. (25.00)

THE LIMITED LIBRARY EDITION. Featured is over 450 lots of Mexican coinage in all series, also proclamations and medals. Also included is over 250 lots of Byzantine gold and silver. A few early U.S. \$2.50s are included.

Duplicates from the Library of DAVID COHEN

MUSEUM NOTES, the Journal of the American Numismatic Society have been issued periodically since 1948 and annually since 1966. Each journal contains at least 20 extremely interesting articles, notes and die studies on Ancient, Medieval and Modern, and Oriental coins many of great importance. They are uniformly bound in blue cardcovers. The foregoing information was taken from Denis Kroh's Empire Coins auction catalogue of August 19, 1988, p. 21. The articles are scholarly and few deal with U.S. numismatics.

744. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES VI. 1954. 217 pp. 29 fine pls. Nearly Fine. (35.00)

Highlights include articles by Noe, Buttrey, Grierson, Grunthal, Lang, Bedoukian, and Kenneth Scott's "Two Counterfeit Connecticut Bills of Credit". Quite scarce.

745. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES VIII. 1958. 220 pp. 43 fine pls. Nearly Fine. (35.00)

Highlights include articles by Bellinger, Noe, Jenkins, Boyce, Grunthal, and Kenneth Scott's "James Franklin on Counterfeiting".

746. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES X. 1962. 172 pp. 35 fine pls. Fine. (35.00)

Highlights include articles by Holloway, Noe, Bellinger, Vermeule, Metcalf, Grierson, Bedoukian, Erlanger, and Eric Newman's "Additions to Coinage for Colonial Virginia."

747. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES XII. 1966. 232 pp. 59 fine pls. VF. (25.00)

Highlights include articles by Thompson, Bellinger, Fagerlie, Miles, Bedoukian, Miles, Hazard, and Lang.

748. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES 13. 1967. 250 pp. 49 fine pls. Fine. (20.00)

Highlights include articles by Jenkins, Fagerlie, Bellinger, Grierson, Miles, and Buttrey's "Central America under the Mexican Empire 1822-1823."

749. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES 14. 1968. 169 pp. 24 fine pls. Fine. (20.00)

Highlights include articles by MacKay, Bates, Metcalf, and Miles.

Numismatic Notes and Monographs (NNMs) were first issued by the American Numismatic Society in 1920. In 1960 from NNM-1, they changed to octavo starting with monograph 110 (Noe's Oak Tree Coinage of Massachusetts). All have tan card covers. The 160+ monographs written by prominent numismatists cover the full range of numismatic topics, eras, and locales although there is a heavy emphasis on ancient coinage. The NNMs below are each Fine or better, unless noted. Also, most of these will have the neat bookplate of the previous owner on the inside cover. Many scarce and important monographs are included. They will be listed in emission sequence.

750. Miles, George C. FATIMID COINS IN THE COLLECTION OF THE UNIVERSITY MUSEUM, PHILADELPHIA, AND THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY. NNM-121. 1951. 51 pp. 6 pls. Fine. (12.00)

A cataloguing, fully attributed, of 537 coins from the two collections.

751. Raymond, Doris. MACEDONIAN REGAL COINAGE TO 413 B.C. NNM-126. 1953. 170 pp. 15 plates. Fine. (25.00)

Another of the important monographs has assembled "as complete as possible a corpus of Macedonian regal coins ... and [arranged] them in coherent order."

752. Scott, Kenneth. COUNTERFEITING IN COLONIAL NEW YORK. NNM-127. 1953. 8vo, CaC. 222 pp. 13 fine pls. Fine. (20.00)

C-S 13638. Although the study is organized chronologically from the early 1700's to the revolution, the two chapters detailing the "Albany County Gang" and the "Ford Gang" are fascinating reading.

753. Ives, Herbert E. and Philip Grierson. THE VENETIAN GOLD DUCAT AND ITS IMITATIONS. NNM-128. 1954. 37 pp. 16 plates. VF. (20.00)

References about medievales are scarce and popular.

754. Caley, Earle R. CHEMICAL COMPOSITION OF PARTHIAN COINS. NNM-129. 1955. 99 pp. 3 plates. Fine. (15.00)

Years ago, the late John Barton of "The Owl" said I had to have a copy for my library references on Parthian coins.

755. Scott, Kenneth. COUNTERFEITING IN COLONIAL PENNSYLVANIA. NNM-132. 1955. 168 pp. Map. VF. (20.00)
C-S 13642. Supplants Gillingham's 1939 monograph with Scott's extensive use of colonial court records.
756. Kraay, Colin M. THE AES COINAGE OF GALBA. NNM-133. 1956. 125 pp. Fold-out diagrams. 37 plates. A few pencilled notations on the front cover. Some interior pages bent. Fine. (25.00)
Essentially, this was Kraay's doctoral dissertation. A key reference for Aes coinage.
757. Wallace, W. P. THE EUBOIAN LEAGUE AND ITS COINAGE. NNM-134. 1956. 180 pp. Map, fold-out table. 16 plates. Fine. (20.00)
133 Alexander drachms and 22 bronzes are plated, and fully catalogued in addition to important text material. The league, in existence for 500 years has little written history; hence the historical importance of the numismatic science.
758. Buttrey, Theodore. THE TRIUMPHAL PORTRAIT GOLD OF THE QUATTUORVIRI MONETALES OF 42 B.C. NNM-137. 1956. 69 pp. 9 plates. Fine. (15.00)
An analysis of the sequence of emissions of the "four moneyers". Want to see 40 pieces of Roman gold?
759. Adelson, Howard L. LIGHT WEIGHT SOLIDI AND BYZANTINE TRADE DURING THE SIXTH AND SEVENTH CENTURIES. NNM-138. 1957. 187 pp. Fold-out map. 14 plates. Fine. (15.00)
In addition to the history, the 138 plated coins are fully attributed and provenanced. Helpful for the Byzantine collector.
760. Miles, George C. CONTRIBUTIONS TO ARABIC METROLOGY, Part I Early Arabic Glass Weights and Measure Stamps Acquired by the ANS 1951-1956 NNM-141. 1958. 124 pp. 13 plates. Fine. (20.00)
A thorough cataloguing of 292 items for Arabic collectors.
761. Miles, George C. EXCAVATION COINS FROM THE PERSEPOLIS REGION. 1959. NNM-143. 124 pp. 21 plates. Fine. (15.00)
Of value to the Islamic collector, a detailed cataloguing of over 900 coins. Readable scholarship in English.
762. Breckenridge, James D. THE NUMISMATIC ICONOGRAPHY OF JUSTINIAN II (685-695, 705-711 A.D.). 1959. NNM-144. 104 pp. 10 plates. Fine. (20.00)
Another expanded doctoral dissertation, this shows the link between numismatics in aesthetics and history.
763. Cox, D.H. COINS FROM THE EXCAVATIONS AT CURIUM, 1932-1953. NNM-145. 1959. 125 pp. 10 pls. Fine. (12.00)
A cataloguing of 750 hoard coins supporting the belief that there was a Roman mint at Curium on the southern coast of Cyprus.
764. Bruun, Patrick. STUDIES IN CONSTANTINE CHRONOLOGY. NNM-146. 1961. 116 pp. 8 pls. VF. (15.00)
A readable narrative study including an index of the reverse legend of 319 Constantinian gold coins from his reign of 306-324.
765. Adelson, Howard L. and George L. Kustas. A BRONZE HOARD OF THE PERIOD OF ZENO I. NNM-148. 1962. 89 pp. 1 pl. Fine. (10.00)
A descriptive and metrological analysis of a hoard of 1065 minted between the reigns of Constantine and Justinian.
766. Bellinger, Alfred R. and Marjorie Alkins Berlincourt. VICTORY AS A COIN TYPE. NNM-149. 1962. 68 pp. 13 pls. (15.00)
Deals with Greek cities, kings, and also Roman. Berlincourt began this as a paper in Yale graduate school in 1951. A challenging and popular collecting area.
767. Miles, George C. CONTRIBUTIONS TO ARAB METROLOGY II. Early Arabic Glass Weights and Measure Stamps in the Benaki Museum, Athens, and the Peter Ruthven Collection, Ann Arbor. NNM-150. 1963. 64 pp. 11 fine pls. (15.00)
768. Tomasini, Wallace J. THE BARBARIC TREMISSIS IN SPAIN AND SOUTHERN FRANCE ANASTASIUS TO LEOVIGILD. NNM-152. 1964. 302 pp. 46 pls. VF. (20.00)
A study of sixth century coinage of the West, "To see these coins as barbaric, nonclassical, ergo crude and ugly, is not to see them at all. This aesthetic blindness and narrowness has hindered numismatic understanding...."
769. Boyce, Aline Abaercherli. FESTAL AND DATED COINS OF THE ROMAN EMPIRE. NNM-153. 1965. 102 pp. 16 pls. VF. (20.00)
Despite the misleading title, this is composed of four monographs similar to those in the ANS Museum Notes. The four deal with: gold coinage of Augustus, Diocletian, Theodosius, and with coinage of Cilicia. Most useful for Byzantine and Cilician collectors. Underappreciated, largely because of the title.
770. Williams, Roderick T. THE CONFEDERATE COINAGE OF THE ARCADIAN IN THE FIFTH CENTURY B.C. NNM 155. 1965. 141 pp. Frontis map. 14 pls. VF. (15.00)
A study of half-drachms and obols. Quite helpful.
771. Eddy, Samuel K. THE MINTING OF ANTONINIANI A.D. 238-249 AND THE SMYRNA HOARD. NNM-156. 1967. 133 pp. 7 double-page plates. VF. (20.00)

The hoard of 1243 antoniniani, uncovered in Smyrna in 1954, was purchased by Rev I.C.G. Campbell of Weeping Water, Nebraska. Although each coin is thoroughly described, the major part of the monograph deals with minting under Gordian III and Philip I.

772. Fagerlie, Joan M. LATE ROMAN AND BYZANTINE SOLIDI FOUND IN SWEDEN AND DENMARK. NNM-157. 1967. 213 pp. 33 pls. VF. (20.00)

The basis of her doctoral dissertation at the University of Washington in 1965. Byzantine coinage is a fertile field for the collector of gold rarities who lacks an unlimited budget.

773. Thompson, Margaret. THE AGRINION HOARD. NNM-159. 1968. 130 pp. 56 pls. VF. (15.00)

The hoard found in 1959 consisted of 1349 silver coins minted from (circa) 190-150 B. C. 40 plates of coinage of the Achaean League. Scholarly.

774. Miles, George C. THE COINAGE OF THE ARAB AMIRS OF CRETE. NNM-160. 1970. 86 pp. 9 pls. Former owner's name and address in ink on the front cover, otherwise VF. (15.00)

The basic reference. The Amirs controlled Crete from (ca.) 827 to 961. There was virtually no historical record of the Amirs on Crete until John Walker of the British Museum began a numismatic study in 1953. Miles' monograph, a study 268 coins, not only is the definitive numismatic record, but is a classic indicator of why numismatics, at its best, is properly considered to be a science.

AUCTION CATALOGUES

775. Bauer, George J. [Sale 2-4] GEORGE A. GILLETTE Numismatic Collection, Parts II-IV. "Plates" in magic marker on the top of each catalogue. But for some rust on the staples and some light soiling of the white CaC, essentially Fine. (20.00)

PART II, 3/1/41, 40 pp. 913 lots, 8 plates. 418 lots of ancient coins, especially Alexander and Seleucid tetradrachms, Corinth staters. Indian Peace medals: Madison, Fillmore, Pierce, and A. Johnson. Some good Washingtonia. 64 lots of attributed Hard Times tokens.

PART III, 5/24/41, 40 pp., 941 lots, 8 plates. 339 lots of ancient Greek, Roman, and Byzantine. Many European crowns and silver medals. 50 attributed Chinese crowns.

PART IV, 10/11/41, 36 pp., 975 lots, 8 plates. 297 lots of ancient Greek, Roman, and Byzantine. 43 lots of Brunswick-Luneberg silver from 1585-1765. European silver medals. 12 lots of attributed Bryan issues.

776. Bauer, George J. Sales XXIV-XXVI. Ancient and Modern Coins, U.S. Gold, U.S. Silver, U.S. Copper. The card covers are soiled. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

SALE XXIV, 1/31/48. 30 attributed Conder tokens. SALE XXV, 5/22/48. SALE XXVI, 10/16/48, 79 lots of large cents, 28 lots of attributed Hard Times tokens.

777. Bolender, M.H. 138th Auction Sale. March 3, 1941. 45 pp. 1100 lots. Clean and Fine (10.00)

1861 Confederate "half dime". Unc 1858-S half dollar. 27 circulated 1914-D cents. 18 lots of Washingtonia with a "Voltaire" medal. A really nice copy.

778. Bolender, M.H. 141st Auction Sale. August 4, 1941. 44 pp. 985 lots. Fine. (10.00)

5 large cents, ex-Chapman 1897 Collins sale. Washington gold medal "Time increases his fame". Another nice copy.

779. Bolender, M.H. 142nd Auction Sale. October 14, 1941. 52 pp. 1258 lots. Mostly priced, in pencil. Fine. (12.00)

Unc 1795 half dollar, Haseltine-4. \$5.00s: 1810 & 2 1811s. 1804 \$2.50. 5 1873 silver pattern trade dollars.

780. Bolender, M.H. 143rd Auction Sale. November 17, 1941. 49 pp. 1309 lots. A PRICED COPY. The covers are VG. The contents are Fine. (10.00)

Unc 1869-S half dollar. Proof 1828 quarter.

781. Bolender, M.H. 183rd Auction Sale. February 23, 1952. 103 pp. 1823 lots. The covers show wear and many folds. The contents are clean and Fine. (12.00)

Bolender's reference collection of 183 bust dollar varieties keyed to the plates in his standard reference. Exceptionally well-catalogued and provenanced. 34 pattern dollars. 50 trade dollars with patterns. Also excellent large cents.

782. Bolender, M.H. 190th Auction Sale. March 2, 1956. 88 pp. 1673 lots. Fine. (15.00)

In many ways this is Bolender's best overall sale. Henry Sternberg's large cents: 130 choice, well-catalogued, and provenanced lots including 40 different 1794 varieties. 20 lots of numismatic literature of key copper references. Good bust dollars. Farouk's paper money. 14 of Sternberg's super bust quarters. Louis Lincoln's complete gold dollars and excellent half dimes. Vastly underappreciated as a reference.

783. Bowers and Ruddy. The GARRETT Collection Sales, Parts I-IV Complete. 1979-1981. 2334 total lots. All 4 PRLs. The covers show the usual rub. Thus, the covers are better than Fine. The contents are nearly Mint. (35.00)

C-S 11976*. The four parts comprise one of the classics in American numismatics. The superior offerings are matched by the superior narrative reference text. Every numismatic library must have these four catalogues.

784. Bowers and Ruddy. The Magnificent STANISLAW HERSTAL Collection. February 7-9, 1974. 180 pp. 2226 lots. Original PRL. Ills. Clean and Nearly VF. (20.00)

C-S 11992. Perhaps the most asked for Bowers and Ruddy sale featured Herstal's Polish coins and medals: 515 lots in 43 well-catalogued pages. Overlooked highlights include a choice 1893-S Morgan, a 1795 "Jefferson head" cent, and 1884 trade dollar, 1841 \$2.50, 1802 half dime, and the Idler 1804 dollar at fixed price for \$165,000.

785. Hollinbeck Stamp & Coin. 5 Sales from 1947. Small format, CaC. But for a very few pencilled marks in the margins, clean and Fine. (20.00)

Sale 41 (1/7/47), Sale 44 (3/5/47), Sale 47 (6/5/47), Sale 48 (7/5/47), Sale 48a, mislabeled 48 (8/5/47).

786. Mehl, B. Max. The W.F. DUNHAM Collection. June 3, 1941. Large format, gold embossed CaC. 287 pp. 4169 lots. Ills. The covers are coming unglued (easily reattached) at the backstrip. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and Nearly VF. (35.00)

Mehl's only 1941 sale. Generally considered his "Magnum Opus": the Dexter 1804 dollar, 1822 half eagle, 1884 trade dollar, 18 proof half cents, incredible patterns, super gold, amazing Hard Times tokens, and encased postage. Dunham's collection lacked only the 1815 half eagle which he avoided obtaining fearing that he would lose interest in numismatics if his collection was "completed". A classic American sale.

787. Mehl, B. Max. The W.W. NEIL Collection. June 17, 1947. Large format, silver, gold, and blue CaC. 212 pp. 3461 lots. PRL. Ills. The covers are Fine. Other than a very few marginal pencilled marks, the contents are VF. (25.00)

Important for the finest known 1794 dollar, an 1804 dollar, both types of 1827 quarters, 2 1792 cents (with and without the silver center), excellent attributed and provenanced large cents, important colonials, and the Tremblay set of **EE NUMISMATIST**.

788. Mehl, B. Max. 2 Important Large Format Sales. Other than the problems described below, essentially VG. (20.00)

[1] BELDEN E. ROACH, 2/8/44. 227 pp. 3530 lots. The covers are nearly unglued. [2] FREDERIC W. GEISS, 2/18/47, 162 pp. 2696 lots. PRL. The covers have been reattached by cellophane tape on the inside.

789. New Netherlands. 53rd Catalogue: PHILIP G. STRAUS. June 16-18, 1959. 85 pp. 2175 lots. 2 pls. Fine or better. (12.00)

50 lots of decent large cents. 1867 proof nickel with rays with excellent text. Good silver trimes in proof. Unique 1800 half dime variety. Nice seated liberty silver. 350 lots of U.S. gold. 1804 "electrotype" dollar with important text. Excellent currency.

790. New Netherlands. 57th Catalogue: United States Coins. December 10-11, 1963. 75 pp. 1254 lots. 6 pls. Fine or better. (12.00)

Choice and rare half cents and large cents with important text. Excellent bust and seated half dimes, dimes, quarters, and 125 excellent bust halves - all with excellent text. 67 lots of excellent bust dollars with important text. The choice, well-catalogued copper and silver coinage in this sale make it an excellent, underappreciated reference work.

791. Paramount et al. Auction '79. July 26-27, 1979. 469 pp. 2000 lots. Color and Monochrome plates. Nearly Mint. (25.00)

THE LIMITED HARDBOUND EDITION. The first of the "APOSTROPHE" sales.

792. Paramount et al. Auction '80. August 14-15, 1980. 498 pp. 2000 lots. Color and Monochrome pls. Nearly Mint. (25.00)

THE LIMITED HARDBOUND EDITION.

793. Raymond, Wayte. 5 of 8 Sales held in 1941. The covers are VG. The contents are Fine. (12.00)

[Sale 40]: 2/18/41, 20 pp., 608 lots. 19th century proof minors. [Sale 43]: 6/10/41, 350 lots of proof singles from 1857 onward. Complete Philadelphia mint gold \$1.00s and \$3.00s, but for the 1875 \$3.00. [Sale 44]: 7/15/41, 39 pp. 1308 lots. 778 lots of attributed ancient Roman coinage. 160 lots of U.S. proof singles from 1858 onward. Much mintmarked silver coinage. [Sale 45]: 9/16/41, 14 pp., 578 lots, 324 lots of proof singles from 1859 onward. 112 lots of U.S. gold. 3 1877 pattern halves. [Sale 47]: 12/9/41, 19 pp. 752 lots. PRL. 270 lots of proof singles. Mintmarked U.S. silver.

794. Raymond, Wayte. 2 of 7 Sales held in 1942. VG to Fine. (12.00)

[Sale 51]: 4/14/42, 24 pp. 936 lots. Hard Times tokens, fractional currency. [Sale 52]: 10/27/42, 20 pp. 789 lots. 1877 proof \$3.00, unc 1854-D \$2.50. 1858 proof dollar. many proof singles from 1859 onward.

795. Reed, Ira. VIII Auction Sale. May 22, 1937. np. 792 lots. Vertical bisecting fold. Some pencilled prices in the margin, VG. (10.00)

1836 Gobrecht dollar, name on base. \$10.00s: AU 1799, VF 1803. 1851 Humbert octagonal slug "880 thous." VF 1799 cent.

796. Reed, Ira. XXIV Auction Sale. January 25, 1941. np. 941 lots. Fine or better. (12.00)

1829 proof \$2.50. 1873 & 1877 \$3.00s. Half dimes: 1830 proof, 1838-O unc, 1856 proof. 16 lots of encased postage. 19 lots of attributed 1794 cents. This is a nice copy.

797. Reed, Ira. XXVI Auction Sale. April 5, 1941. np. 1035 lots. Fine. (12.00)

160 lots of attributed large cents. 24 lots of attributed California fractional gold. A rather nice copy.

798. Reed, Ira. XXVIII Auction Sale [GRANT S. HANLEY]. December 6, 1941. np. 909 lots. Fine. (12.00)

Consider how everything changed the day after the sale closed. 30 lots of attributed California fractional gold. Not much else. A nice copy.

799. Stack's. The ANDERSON DUPONT Catalogue of United States Silver and Copper Coins, Part II. November 11-13, 1954. 8vo, silver CaC. 118 pp. 1694 lots. Ills. The silver card covers are bent in places. The contents are clean and VF. (25.00)

C-S 12364. Although part one of this sale devoted to the magnificent large cents and catalogued by Dr. Sheldon has long been considered a classic, this second part with superb half cents has seen a significant increase in interest since the enthusiasm generated by Bowers and Merena's Norweb half cent offering. Included are 14 superior half cents with the "finest 1796 with pole ever offered." The half cents are profusely described, thoroughly attributed, and well-provenanced. Also offered: extensive bust coinage in all series, 6 1877 pattern halves, the "finest known" 1870-S silver dollar, and an 1884 trade dollar. Scarce and important, especially in nice condition.

Auction Sales of NUMISMATIC LITERATURE

Auctions of numismatic literature are not only exciting ways of acquiring new treasures for one's library. Also they are of inestimable importance as references for the bibliophile: as numismatic bibliographies, as reference sources, and as records of value with prices realized lists. Consequently, it is quite unusual to find any significant quantity of these invaluable references coming to auction; collectors just do not want to part with them.

800. Bergman, John. 2 Sales (Sale 3 & 4) of Numismatic Literature. But for the pencilled notations in the margins, nearly VF. (15.00)

Sale 3, Numismatic Literature Mail Bid Sale: May 16, 1987. 48 pp. 1065 lots. John, the long-time Secretary/Treasurer of the Numismatic Bibliomania Society, is one of America's most knowledgeable and authoritative experts of numismatic literature. His expertise is exceeded only by his being a gentleman of unquestioned integrity. They just don't come any better than this man. Mostly American auction catalogues with much important narrative text. The strength of this sale is Bergman's narrative text accompanying American numismatic periodicals. Incidentally the cover is a pencil drawing by Mr. Bergman's father of a banquet given by Thomas Elder at one of his auctions.

Sale 4, Numismatic Literature. THE PARAMOUNT LIBRARY. April 23, 1988. Large format, CaC. 33 pp. 904 lots. PRL. Much valuable narrative text on classic American reference books and on American numismatic auction catalogues.

801. Collins, Jack. Catalogues I & II of Numismatic Literature. 4to, CaC. Some pencilled notations inside. Fine to VF. (25.00)

Jack who is a most knowledgeable numismatist especially about colonials, large cents, and half cents is also an expert numismatic photographer - perhaps exemplified by his having done the photography for Breen's half cent book, among many other catalogues. Further, Jack, a long-time collector and expert about numismatic literature, was one of the founders of the Numismatic Bibliomania Society. The 2 catalogues he issued offered excellent and classic American numismatic literature. His second catalogue is an unparalleled reference work on American auction catalogues.

SALE I: Catalogue of an Important Numismatic Library. October 1, 1983. 48 pp. 552 lots. 9 plates. Among the highlights were 3 1875 Crosbys, 1881 Maris, virtually all of the classic copper references, 11 Heath counterfeit detectors, a plated Bushnell, Elder plated 1920 Miller sale, and Elder's extremely rare 1921 plated Mc Mullin sale. The narrative text in this catalogue is most important.

SALE II: Catalogue of Catalogues. July 4, 1987. 61 pp. 1544 lots. No PRL was issued after this sale. The highlight is the offering of 1447 lots of American auction catalogues from 1858 to date. The narrative text accompanying many of the lots contains information not readily available elsewhere. Also, this sale featured more deluxe and special editions than any other sale, ever. This is one of the most important numismatic literature catalogues ever offered.

802. Grady, Orville J. The First 7 Mail Bid Sales of Numismatic Literature. From November 23, 1985 to March 22, 1989. Each is small format with card covers. Averaging 55 pages and 750 lots. PRLs for sale 3 and 4. But for the interior pencilled notations, VF. (20.00)

"Jim", another of the truly fine gentlemen in numismatic literature, is one of the most active of the dealers in numismatic literature. In addition to conducting regular mail-bid sales, Jim also sets up at many coin shows which is quite rare for dealers in numismatic literature. Sale 1 featured selections from Remy Bourne. Sale 2 featured the Phil Everley library. Sale 3 featured the W.I. Fogleman library. This lot also contains the first two issues of "The Biblio-Brief", his fixed price list of numismatic literature, from 1984 and 1985 which preceded his mail-bid sales.

803. Katen, Frank. Sales 6-9. Averaging Fine. (25.00)

SALE 6, 3/18/48, 117 lots of large cents. Clean and Fine. SALE 7, 6/18-19/48, large cents and ancients. Clean and Fine. SALE 8, 8/21-25/48, 1948 ANA Sale, the covers are VG, the contents are Fine. SALE 9, 11/19/48, VG. These early sales preceded Mr. Katen's becoming primarily known as a dealer (Make that "THE DEALER") in numismatic literature. The early sales are scarce, especially in nice condition.

Mr. GEORGE FREDERICK KOLBE's motto is QUALITY. If Frank Katen is the godfather of numismatic literature dealers, George must surely be the standard to which all current numismatic literature dealers aspire. His catalogues and cataloguing represent the best in the field. Additionally, he is a gentleman and a professional in the best sense. Any large offering of Kolbe sales finds many seekers for their significant reference value.

804. Kolbe, George Frederick. Fixed price catalogues IV and V. Important Numismatic Offerings. Spring 1980. Large format, CaC. 31 pp. 175 lots. 10 plates, and Olla Podrida II: A Selection of Notable Books From Stock

Arranged in No Particular Order. Spring 1982. 282 lots and 16 quarto pages folded from one uncut sheet of paper. Some pencilled notations in the latter, VF. (10.00)

The first offers significant and expensive works accompanied with extensive annotations. The second offers a slew of equally important and expensive works.

805. Kolbe, George Frederick Catalogue of Important Numismatic Books Including the Fine Numismatic Library of the Late KENNETH W. LEE, Important Duplicates from the ARMAND CHAMPA Library.... June 12-13, 1981. Large 4to, white printed CaC, gilt. 120 pp. 1025 lots. 8 full color plates, 12 monochrome plates. VF. (20.00)

Still the pre-eminent sale of American numismatic literature, magnificently presented by Mr. Kolbe. No sale of American numismatic literature has been more distinguished or more beautifully presented. A required reference.

806. Kolbe, George Frederick. 8 Small Format Sales of Numismatic Literature. (50.00)

- 1). Mail Bid Sale #1. 2/28/76. 55 pp. 763 lots, PRL. Nearly VF. Scarce.
- 2). Mail Bid Sale #2. 11/6/76. np. 1640 lots, PRL. Nearly VF.
- 3). Mail Bid Sale #3: The FLOYD HAZELWOOD Library. 6/25/77. 87 pp. 944 lots, no PRL. 7 plates. VF.
- 4). Mail Bid Sale IV. 5/20/78. 110 pp. 1414 lots. No PRL. George's first great catalogue. Nearly VF.
- 5). Mail Bid Sale VI. 12/15/79. np. 2157 lots. No PRL. Some pencilled marks in the margin. VF
- 6). Mail Bid Sale VIII. 12/19/80. np. 2655 lots. No PRL. Some pencilled marks in the margin. VF
- 7). Mail Bid Sale X. 11/14/81. np. 2611 lots. No PRL. Some pencilled marks in the margin. VF
- 8). Mail Bid Sale XII. 10/9/82. np. 1932 lots. No PRL. Some pencilled marks in the margin. VF

807. Kolbe, George Frederick. 6 Important Large Format Sales of Numismatic Literature. (50.00)

- 1). Auction Sale V. 6/9-10/79. 45 pp. 977 lots. 8 plates. PRL. Some pencilled marks inside. Fine.
- 2). Auction Sale Seven: 1980 C.O.I.N. 6/13-14/80. 39 pp. 540 lots. 8 plates. No PRL. Fine.
- 3). Auction Sale Eleven: 1982 C.O.I.N. 6/12/82. 94 pp. 1123 lots, no PRL. Color pictorial covers, 10 plates.
- 4). Auction Sale Fourteen: The TED CRAIGE Sale. 8/13/83. 163 pp. 1124 lots, PRL. Ills. Fine. A most important sale.
- 5). Sale Seventeen: 1984 C.O.I.N. 6/9/84. 55 pp. 650 lots, photocopied PRL. VF.
- 6). Sale XXVI. 6/9-11/86. 97 pp. 2000 lots. PRL. Fine.

808. Kolbe, George Frederick. The LESTER MERKIN Library. June 15, 1984. 8vo, tan cloth. 69 pp. 350 lots with estimate sheet and PRL. Near Mint. (20.00)

Copy 367 of 975 numbered copies. A most impressive offering of American references, featuring a strong run of plated Chapman's and virtually all of the core American numismatic references. The sale features extensive and valuable textual commentary by Mr. Kolbe. Also included herein, and the above lot, is an annotated listing of all 31 Merkin sales [which I believe was prepared by Walter Breen].

809. Kolbe, George Frederick. Public Auction Sale XXI. June 4-5, 1985. Oblong 4to, CaC. 89 pp. 1609 lots, no PRL. The covers are bent at the backstrip (Postal box damage). (15.00)

A significant offering of American numismatic literature from the libraries of Abe Kosoff, Armand Champa, and Richard Picker.

810. Kolbe, George Frederick. Important Numismatic Books. June 9-11, 1986. Oblong 4to, CaC. 97 pp. 2000 lots. VF (15.00)

Part I of the Michael Powells library. Part I of the Dr. F. F. Pipito library. Also selections from Col. R. F. Kriz and the library of the late Col. H. D. Davidson. Important offerings of numismatic literature of ancient and world coinage, and numerous U. S. auction sales.

811. Kolbe, George Frederick and Munzgalerie Basel. Important Numismatic Library. February 25-26, 1987. Large format, gray CaC. 149 pp. 2935 lots. Nearly new. (20.00)

This sale of the library of Galerie des Monnaies, especially useful due to its extensive indices and glossary, is already the standard reference in English for numismatic literature of ancients, medieval, and non-U.S. coinage. The sale realized \$330,000, the largest ever for any sale of numismatic literature.

812. Kolbe, George Frederick. The Numismatic Bookseller. Volumes 1-4 complete, also the Spring and Fall 1988 Quarterly. The first 17 copies issued from January 1984. The first 14 folio sized self-covered, the last 3 quarto. Fine and better. (50.00)

Primarily fixed price lists and mail bid sales of numismatic literature, THE NUMISMATIC BOOKSELLER also contains George's observations and comments. The latter issues are mail bid sales, and include consignments from Kosoff estate, Kriz, Sonderman, and Picker. Again, an invaluable source of information. Extremely valuable for research.

813. Kolbe, George Frederick/Spink & Son, Ltd. The First Seven Combined Annual Numismatic Literature Sales Held as Part of the New York International Coin Show. VF to Mint. (75.00)

- 1). FIRST JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/12/82. 60 pp. 579 lots, no PRL. Nearly VF.
- 2). SECOND JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/11/83. 45 pp. 425 lots, no PRL. Nearly VF.
- 3). THIRD JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/2/84. 62 pp. 732 lots. No PRL. A few pencilled and inked notes in the margins, otherwise VF.
- 4). FOURTH JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/1/85. 37 pp. 450 lots. 2 plates on the inside covers. No PRL.
- 5). FIFTH JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/14/86. 44 pp. 500 lots. No PRL. But for cover soiling, VF.
- 6). SIXTH JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/13/87. 51 pp. 513 lots. No PRL. few pencilled and inked notes in the margins, otherwise VF.
- 7). SEVENTH JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/10-11/88. 66 pp. 758 lots. No PRL. VF.

CAL WILSON conducted 18 auctions and mail-bid sales of numismatic literature between December 8, 1981 and June 4, 1988. His sales ran the entire gamut of numismatic literature - from the great rarities to the commonplace. His major expertise was on the American references. However, he also sold much important foreign and ancient literature. Wilson's auctions also featured narrative text which were most helpful and instructive especially for the classic American books, auction catalogues, and periodicals.

Wilson's sales averaged 56 pages and 1000 lots. 11 of the catalogues offered below are small format with tan (except for sale 2 which has red) card covers. Sale XVII is a large format sale. 10 of the sales below have the original PRLs tipped in. This is a most important reference offering.

814. Wilson Cal (Fremont, CA). 12 of the 18 sales. The contents will have occasional pencilled or inked notations inside (a few on the covers) as these were Mr. Cohen's working copies. Regardless, They are otherwise clean and may be considered nearly VF or better. (75.00)

The only PRLs which are missing are for sale 9 and sale 18, the latter PRL never having been issued. Offered are sales 1-2, 6, 8-9, 11-12, 14-18.

A Consignment from HANK SPANGENBERGER

815. Brotman, Irwin. A GUIDE TO THE TEMPLE TOKENS OF INDIA. 1970, 1st ed. 12mo, brown cloth. 208 pp. Ills. VF. (30.00)

Limited edition copy number 430 of 1000 numbered hardcovered copies. Scarce and sought after in this format.

816. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira. SELECT NUMISMATIC BIBLIOGRAPHY. 1965, 1st ed. 8vo, green cloth. 406 pp. 4962 listings. Nearly VF. (15.00)

Still the "volk-bibliography" as the 1985 edition costs over \$100 when it is infrequently available. A required reference, indispensable for anyone with even a peripheral interest in numismatics of numismatic literature.

817. Eklund, O. P. and Sydney P. Noe. HACIENDA TOKENS OF MEXICO. NNM-115. 1949. 46 pp. 22 fine plates. But for the top edge being darkened from smoke damage from the Spangenberg library fire, VF. (25.00)

In addition to the important historical and numismatic text about these tokens, 492 are catalogued with many illustrated.

818. Empire Coin Co., Inc. EMPIRE TOPICS: Issue no. 9. February 1960. 12mo, self-covered, glossy. 23 pp. Ills. VF. (7.00)

Contains Bowers' article, "A Sketch of the Civil War Cent Series".

819. Empire Coin Co., Inc. JUBILEE OF COIN VALUES. January 1966. 4to, self-covered. 48 pp. Ills. But for some fading at the backstrip, VF. (20.00)

A large offering in a quasi-Rare Coin Review format: 1795 "Jefferson head" cent, ex-Century sale. Extensive English with the "Unique" 1954 English Penny.

820. Griffin, Clarence. THE BECHTLERS AND BECHTLER COINAGE AND GOLD MINING IN NORTH CAROLINA 1814-1830. 1929. 8vo, original printed card covers. (4), 15 pp. Frontis, ills. Covers soiled, waterstained at backstrip, last page with some spotting, VG. (50.00)

C-S 12471. "This is the first complete sketch of the Bechtlers ever published. ... nothing approaching a complete story of their lives and work has ever been compiled." Very scarce.

821. Hathaway and Bowers. AUTOMATIC MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS FOR SALE. Catalogue 9. June 1969. 4to, self-covered. 86 pp. Ills. Vals. But for some superficial soiling on both covers, essentially VF. (30.00)

The profusely illustrated, quality catalogue contains a wealth of historical information on the selection of superb instruments. The layout and graphics are identical to the Hathaway and Bowers Rare Coin Review. A highlight of the catalogue is the Robert Johnson collection of S.S. Stewart banjos. Not listed in Remy Bourne's, AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AND SALES LITERATURE. Rare.

822. Hathaway and Bowers Galleries, Inc. CHOICE AND DESIRABLE COINS. Volume III, Catalogue No. 3: December 1969. 4to, self-covered. 36 pp. Ills. Once damp by backstrip, otherwise clean and better than Fine. (15.00)

Important run of 17 proof half cents, ex-Miles. A 1799 cent with extensive text by Breen. 2 Gobrecht dollars with name below base. Important, extensive collection of Assay medals. The first generally available entry in the series.

823. Hathaway and Bowers Galleries, Inc. CHOICE AND DESIRABLE COINS. Volume III, Catalogue No. 8: November 1970. 4to, self-covered. 48 pp. Ills. Once damp by backstrip, else better than Fine. (15.00)

"One Dealer's View of the A. N. A. Convention" QDB's recollections from 1955 onward. Important Vermont coppers, two pages or attributed Connecticut coppers. "The Money Pit" by D'Arcy O'Connor, a fascinating story reprinted from The Wall Street Journal about buried treasure on Oak Island, Nova Scotia.

824. Hathaway and Bowers Galleries, Inc. CHOICE AND DESIRABLE COINS. Volume III, Catalogue No. 9: January-February 1971. 4to, self-covered. 44 pp. Ills. Holed at margin for binder, once damp by backstrip, owner's inkstamp in margin, else nearly VF. (15.00)

Even more Connecticut coppers, an 1802 half dime, an 1841 \$2. 50 - "The Little Princess", "Coin Market Commentary" a four page article by QDB. Also one lot of numismatic literature for \$3750 featuring Chapman's Cents of 1794.

Clapp-Newcomb United States Cents, a Crosby (undated; it could be an 1875, 1945, or 1965), 8 large size Chapmans with a Bushnell and a plated Cleanay, a plated copy of Woodward's Dohrmann sale.

825. Hewitt, Lee F. PRICE CATALOG. HARD TIMES TOKENS. 1934. 24mo, orange CaC. 16 pp. Ills. Vals. VG. (10.00)

This guide uses Low's numbering system. "The mottoes on some equal in audacity those of a rabble parade." Scarce and cute.

826. Hoyt, Charles. [Funeral Announcement for Dr. George F. Heath] A PROCLAMATION. June 17, 1908. 8x10 inch broadside, beige paper lettered in black. 1 pp. Vertical and horizontal bisecting folds. The blank back is soiled. The front has two fingerprint smudges in the margins. There are two tears from folding in the margin of one half inch each on the outermost edges of the horizontal folds. VG. (25.00)

"Death has called from our midst our most worthy citizen DR. GEORGE F. HEATH who for many years has been a prominent, active, publicly spirited citizen of Monroe [Michigan] ..." The broadside continues to announce funeral plans - June 19, at 3:00 at his home - and calls for all city departments to remain closed from 2:00 to 4:00 and requests a suspension of business during the same time period. Quite an important bit of memorabilia pertaining to the founder of THE NUMISMATIST and the A.N.A.. This item looks better than it describes.

827. Kelly, Don C. NATIONAL BANKNOTES. A Guide with Prices. 1981. Oblong 4to, green cloth gilt. Several hundred pages. Ills. Vals. VF. (20.00)

"We first describe and illustrate the various types of national banknotes In the main segment we present state-by-state listings of the notes issued by each national bank with their premium values."

828. Kelly, Don C. NOTE ISSUING BANKS. Alphabetic by City Name. Numeric by Charter Number. 1982. 4to, white CaC. 56 pp. VF. (20.00)

"This work is designed to provide quick answers to questions such as 'Did Poland, Ohio have any note-issuing national banks?' and 'What national bank had charter number 7000', and 'How many towns named "Salem" had note issuing national banks?'."

829. Kosoff, Abe. AN ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF UNITED STATES COINS, Depicting the Proposed Designs as well as the Accepted Types. 1962. 4to, pictorial CaC. 76 pp. Ills. Fine. (15.00)

Autographed and dated (May 1962) by Kosoff and Max Justus. The 654 listed coins from colonials to 1959 are based on anonymous collection - Judd's.

830. Linecar, Howard. COINS AND COIN COLLECTING. 1972, 2nd ed. 4to, black cloth. 140 pp. 330 illustrations, 52 in color. VF. (20.00)

"With the help of maps, engravings, and photographs, Howard Linecar discusses the birth of the coin and traces its development throughout the old and new worlds," cribbed from the dust jacket. This is one of my favorite underrated books - informative, attractive, and readable.

831. Muscalus, Dr. John. 52 Different Monographs about Paper Money Written from 1939 to 1978. A few are soiled or may have bent edges, but generally these are VF or better. (200.00)

Dr. Muscalus' monographs about paper money have been extremely valuable sources of information since his first article appeared in the April 1935 issue of the NUMISMATIST. Each monograph is devoted to one thematic aspect of currency such as AN INDEX OF STATE BANK NOTES THAT ILLUSTRATE PRESIDENTS written in 1939, A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF HISTORIES OF SPECIFIC BANKS written in 1942, and STATE-OWNED BANKS, THEIR PET BANKS, AND THEIR BANK NOTES written in 1940.

His individual monographs deal with a variety of themes: religious figures, famous Americans, famous writers, famous paintings, scrip, ships, railroads, ad infinitum. In the Winter 1989 issue of THE ASYLUM, The Quarterly Journal of the Numismatic Bibliomania Society, Ray Bisordi's definitive bibliography, "The Works of John Muscalus" was published. [If you are not a member of the NBS, you are missing a lot of similarly valuable articles. By the way, the President of the NBS is a wonderful human being and a snappy dresser.] Dr. Muscalus published 82 titles from 1935 to 1978, several appearing in the NUMISMATIST, the NUMISMATIC SCRAPBOOK, and the COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. He published 20 monographs from 1935 to 1949, of which 5 are offered here. 3 more were published in 1951 and 1959, 2 offered here. He, then, became more active publishing 57 monographs from 1964 to 1978, of which 45 are offered in this group.

Although the individual monographs are in a variety of sizes, they tend to be octavo with card covers and well-illustrated. Each consists of from 4 to 40 pages, generally averaging about 10 pages. This is an extraordinary opportunity to acquire a majority of these titles which rarely appear in any significant quantity. These are generally nice, clean copies which came from the Muscalus estate.

832. Ramsey, Robert M. and Robert V. Polito. NATIONAL BANKS OF THE UNITED STATES 1863-1935. Lancaster, PA. 1977, 1st ed. 4to, blue leatherette. 598 pp. VF. (25.00)

C-S 13513. A scarce reference.

833. Sadik, Marvin (director). THE SALTON COLLECTION. RENAISSANCE & BAROQUE MEDALS AND PLAQUETTES [in the Collection of Bowdoin College]. 1969, 2nd ed. 4to, light tan CaC. [75] pp. Ills. The covers are soiled. (20.00)

C-S 14313 1500 copies printed. The collection of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Salton[-Schlessinger]. An illustrated, descriptive cataloguing of 187 examples of Renaissance medallic art.

834. Van Belkum, Louis. NATIONAL BANKS OF THE NOTE ISSUING PERIOD, 1863-1935. 1968. 8vo, tan cloth. 400 pp. Nearly Mint. (15.00)

C-S 13532. Includes tables of charter numbers of the banks, cities, and number and values of outstanding notes for each issue. We continually see this volume carried by collectors at coins because of its compact size.

835. Westervelt, Leonidas. THE JENNY LIND MEDALS AND TOKENS. NNM-5. 1921. 25 pp. Frontis. 8 fine plates. But for the top edge being darkened from smoke damage from the Spangenberg library fire, nearly VF. (25.00)

One of the scarce early small format monographs, in addition to a biography, this catalogues 30 medals, jetons, and tokens the plates illustrate both sides of 11 of them.

836. Wolka, Wendell, Jack M. Vorhies, and Donald A. Schramm. INDIANA OBSOLETE NOTES AND SCRIP. 1978. 4to, maroon cloth. 306 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. Fine. (15.00)

C-S 13400. Includes all obsolete notes and scrip issued during the 19th century and "Sutler notes issued for use by Indiana military units during the Civil War."

837. Wright, Dr. B.P. THE MARK PENNY. MASONIC CHAPTER PENNIES. Third List. nd. 12mo, tan CaC. Numbered pages 46 to 89. Ills. Contents disbound from covers which are present. Contents nearly VF. (15.00)

This list covers numbers 157 through 320 with some miscellaneous additions. This was part of the series originally in volume 16 and 17 of THE NUMISMATIST. Quite scarce in this format. With rebinding and the original covers bound inside, this would be a VF copy.

A Consignment from WAYNE HOMREN

WAYNE HOMREN is the President of the Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society, one of the oldest and currently on the finer numismatic societies in the country. He is also the President of the Pennsylvania Association of Numismatists.

838. Babelon, M. Ernest. LES ORIGINES DE LAS MONNAIES Considerees au Point de Vue Economique et Historique. 1897. 12mo, paper covers. 427 pp. Unopened and untrimmed. The index and a few adjacent leaves are brittle at the corners. Complete, but virtually disbound into its component signatures as the paper backstrip is missing. Otherwise the contents are clean and Fine. (12.00)

C-S 1464. A scholarly comprehensive discussion of ancient coinage which requires a sophisticated reading knowledge of French. With rebinding, this would be a Fine copy.

839. BARCLAY'S BANK (DOMINION COLONIAL AND OVERSEAS) 1836-1936. A Banking Centenary. 1937. 8vo, maroon cloth, gilt. 270 pp. Ills. VF. (25.00)

A readable, but authoritative chronological history of this great U.K. bank, its operations, and the people affiliated with it. An interesting supplementary chapter is entitled "Cricket in Central Africa" - "And so we finally finished up only one run with one wicket to fall, amidst the most laughing encouragement it has ever been my good fortune to cause. Ten balls received, of which I missed two, and a score of 40 not out. And that's the sort of cricket we get in Central Africa." [Where's Vin Scully when we need him?]

840. Crosby, Sylvester. EARLY COINS OF AMERICA. 1974 Quarterman reprint of the 1875 original. Large quarto, cloth. 378 pp. 11 pls. Nearly Mint. (35.00)

Includes facsimiles of the 1873 and 1878 title pages, the proposed introduction, two of the wrappers for the original subscription parts, the list of the original subscribers, the Woodbury plate, the "Centennial Foreword" by Eric Newman, and other supplementary material. This reprint is excellent.

841. Garnier, M. le Marquis. HISTOIRE DE LA MONNAIE, Depuis les Temps de la plus Antiquite, jusqu'a Regne de Charlemagne. 2 volumes. 1819. 12mo, leather, marbelled endpapers. lxxx, 402; 283 pp. The covers are worn. The spines are missing. The contents show occasional foxing. The bindings are sound. The contents are otherwise clean and Fine. (75.00)

Th reference covers the history of coinage from its earliest times through the coinage of Charlemagne. It requires a sophisticated reading knowledge of French. The contents are printed on paper with a heavy rag content; thus they are still quite readable without any risk of brittleness. These two volumes would benefit from the binder's art.

842. Griffiths, William H. THE STORY OF THE AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY. 1959. 4to, maroon quarter cloth, gilt. 92 pp. Ills. 8 fine double page, steel plate engravings of vignettes. The covers are nearly VF. The contents are VF. (100.00)

These were distributed by the ABNC to certain VIPs and stockholders; they were not sold. Despite this being a history of the ABNC from 1795 to 1958, the major appeal of the book is the superb vignettes representing the epitome of the craft: all the presidents through Eisenhower, 22 foreign dignitaries (Schweitzer, Marti, Sun Yat-Sen, Juarez), 20 prominent Americans (Edison, Daniel Webster, Franklin, Robert E. Lee, Hamilton), 9 of architecture (Statue of Liberty, Notre Dame, the Acropolis), trains, ships, allegories (reminiscent of Educational Notes), and styles of currency. Always in demand, deservedly.

843. Griffiths, William H. THE STORY OF THE AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY. 1959. 4to, maroon quarter cloth, gilt. 92 pp. Ills. 8 fine double page, steel plate engravings of vignettes. The very top edges of the covers show some waterstaining. For accuracy's sake, the top margin of the contents show insignificant evidence of having been damp. The covers are Fine. The contents are still VF. (85.00)

ANOTHER AS ABOVE. The dampness problems notwithstanding, this is still quite a nice copy.

844. Harper's New Monthly Magazine. "Making Money". Removed from the December 1861 issue. 12mo. Pages 16-20. Ills. The pages show some slight discoloration. Fine. (10.00)

This profusely illustrated excerpt covered the method of making coinage at the Philadelphia mint. Also included is other useful information about the coinage and Franklin Peale's contributions to improving the coining process.

845. Harper's New Monthly Magazine. "The American Bank Note Company". Removed from the February 1862 issue. 12mo. Pages 306-325. Ills. The pages show some slight discoloration. Fine. (10.00)

This profusely illustrated excerpt covered in detail the method of making bank notes. Also included is other useful information about engraving and the company's facilities.

846. Harper's New Monthly Magazine. "Continental Currency". Removed from the March 1863 issue. 12mo. Pages 433-447. Ills. The pages show some slight discoloration. Fine. (10.00)

This profusely illustrated excerpt covered the history of the topic, illustrated with the seals that appeared on the currency. This is quite a useful excerpt.

847. Henry, J.A. [H.A. Siepmann, ed.] THE FIRST HUNDRED YEARS OF THE STANDARD BANK Based upon Unpublished material Selected, Assembled, and Presented by [Henry]. 1963. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 371 pp. Ills. Maps. The covers are nearly VF. The contents are VF. (25.00)

The Standard Bank of South Africa is the oldest bank in Africa south of the Sahara. This is a serious chronological history of the bank. Another history of this bank written by Carolyn Terry is offered later in this consignment.

848. James, Marquis and Bessie. BIOGRAPHY OF A BANK. THE STORY OF THE BANK OF AMERICA. 1954. 8vo, dark blue cloth, gilt. 566 pp. Ills. VF. (25.00)

This is the variant binding entirely in the same blue cloth. An important, readable history of the world's then largest bank. Started by the son of Italian immigrants, it played a significant role in the recovery of San Francisco following the earthquake. Apparently this has been on the Harvard University recommended reading list for years. Always in demand. See the work later in this consignment written by Fred Yeates

849. Lenormant, Francois. LA MONNAIE DANS L'ANTIQUITE. Nouvelle Edition [New Edition]. Volumes I-III. 1897. 12mo. paper covers. 302, 484, 285 pp. Unopened. Each of the volumes is complete, but virtually disbound into its component signatures as the paper backstrips are missing. The original paper covers are either chipped or missing. The contents are clean and Fine. (100.00)

C-S 1658 (for the 1878-79 original edition). (Translated) Professorial lectures for the Chair of Archaeology for the Bibliotheque Nationale. The lectures are quite scholarly and comprehensive with excellent documentation, but require a sophisticated reading knowledge of French. The contents are complete and sound. With a quality rebinding, which was the original intent when these were sold, these would be virtually VF. Scarce complete.

850. Lenormant, Francois. MONNAIES ET MEDAILLES. nd (c.1870). 12mo, decorated cloth, gilt. 328 pp. Ills. The covers are rubbed. The binding is cracked in several places. The first few and last few leaves are foxed. The contents are otherwise Fine. (15.00)

The work illustrated with over 150 halftones discusses ancient, medieval, and modern coins and medals. A reading knowledge of French is necessary. The defects notwithstanding, this looks better than the description reads.

851. Lewis, Jr., Lawrence. A HISTORY OF THE BANK OF NORTH AMERICA 1781-1881. The First Bank Chartered in the United States. 1882. 4to, brown bevelled decorated cloth covers, top edge gilt. 153 pp. 9 pls. The binding is tight. The covers are worn and spotted. But for the engravings of the various bank presidents having bled through adjacent leaves (several at times), the contents are Fine. (75.00)

C-S 1417. The title page carries an inkstamped impression, "To Ellen E. Rutter [handwritten in ink] with Compliments of the Bank of North America." This is a substantial history of the bank during its first 100 years. The book contains much useful information about the bank and currency through the period of 1781 to 1789. The appended material contains lists of the bank presidents, cashiers, directors, documents for the establishment of the bank, the stockholders of the bank in 1784, and dividends paid. Far from being a self-serving, vanity history, this is quite an important work.

852. Schulman, Hans M.F. A SUPERB OFFERING OF COINS ... 1946 Catalog No. 26. 1946. 8vo, quarter black leather and green cloth. 194 pp. Ills. The top and bottom of the cloth covers are waterstained. The covers are worn and rubbed. The top inch of the contents are dampstained. Nearly VG. (25.00)

A SPECIAL DELUXE EDITION. While this fixed price list is interesting, it is also common. However, this is the only specially bound copy of which we are aware. "David J. Sullivan" is printed in gilt on the bottom of the front cover. On the front free endpaper is written in green ink "To my good friend David with thanks for his artistic assistance - hoping the future will be brighter. Hans." Unfortunately this copy is not choice; regardless it is rare. WITH Schulman and Holzer's THE COIN COLLECTORS' ALMANAC also with "David J. Sullivan" is printed in gilt on the bottom of the front cover. Inscribed on the front free endpaper is "To my good friend David - thanks for his friendship and interest. Hans. Xmas 1946".

853. Shaw, W[illiam] A[rthur] THE HISTORY OF CURRENCY 1252-1894. nd (c.1895), 1st ed. 8vo, maroon cloth, gilt. 431 pp. The first signature is loosening. The fold-out chart has a tear in it. Otherwise VG. (20.00)

C-S 136 (for the third edition). Subtitled, "Being an Account of the Gold and Silver Monies and Monetary Standards of Europe and America together with an Examination of the effects of Currency and Exchange Phenomena on Commercial and National Progress and Well-being." The scarce first edition of the classic scholarly important resource for medieval monetary history.

854. Terry, Carolyn. A PIONEER BANK IN A PIONEER LAND. 1979. 4to, pictorial blue cloth. 277 pp. Profusely illustrated with color and monochrome plates. VF. (25.00)

A history of the Standard Bank of South Africa from its establishment in 1862 onward. The numerous illustrations of banknotes, documents, people, and locations add to the readable text. A handsome book.

855. Vlack, Robert A. EARLY AMERICAN COINS. 1965, 2nd ed. 8vo, original light green cloth. 120 pp. Ills. Vals. The light covers are slightly soiled. There are a few inked marks inside. Nearly VF. (35.00)

C-S 12164 This contains excellent historical and background information about colonial coinage. The excellent specimens of colonials which are used for the halftone illustrations make this especially useful. Incidentally, this was

published by Windsor Research Publications, the publishing arm of Bowers and Ruddy's Empire Coin Company. Important and sought after.

856. Willem, John M. THE UNITED STATES TRADE DOLLAR: America's only Unwanted, Unhonored Coin. 1965, 2nd ed. 8vo, maroon cloth. 191 pp. Ills. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12356. This scholarly, readable, definitive reference also includes valuable material on trade dollars of the world. This also deals with the 1884 and 1885 trade dollars, and trade dollar patterns.

857. Wilson, Neill C. 400 CALIFORNIA STREET. 1964. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 87 pp. Ills. The covers are scuffed. There is a bump on the bottom edge. The contents are nearly Mint. (12.00)

"The Story of the Bank of California, National Association and its First 100 Years in the Financial Development of the Pacific Coast." Far from the usual dry presentations of the genre, Wilson's style and use of pertinent, extensive illustrations.

858. Yeates, Fred. THE GENTLE GIANT. 1954. 12mo, blue cloth, gilt. 80 pp. Frontis. The covers are slightly faded otherwise VF with the contents nearly Mint. (25.00)

A biography of A.P. Giannini, the founder of the Bank of America. This volume was produced by the Bank of America and is listed after the title as "Presentation Edition - 1954 commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Bank of America." Quite scarce. This is an appropriate companion volume to the Marquis and Bessie James work on the Bank of America offered above.

859. Yeoman, R.S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1948, 2nd ed. 1947. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. Nearly VF. (125.00)

Other than the spine being sunned, this is defect-free. The covers are bright and clean. The gilt is quite good. The binding is tight. The contents are clean. This is the nicest second edition we have ever offered.

860. Yeoman, R.S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1948, 2nd ed. 1947. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. VG. (65.00)

The covers are heavily worn. The binding is sound. Other than two owners' names on the inside cover, the contents are clean and fine.

861. Yeoman, R.S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1955, 8th ed. 1954. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. A circular spot of discoloration on the front cover (moisture from a coffee cup?). Nearly Fine. (35.00)

The rear joint is weak. The covers are moderately spotted, but still not bad. There are some notations on both sides of the front free endpaper. The remaining contents are bright and clean.

862. Yeoman, R.S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1956, 9th ed. 1955. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. But for a chip at the top of the spine that has been reglued, nearly VF. (40.00)

Muted gilt which is rather typical for this volume, the contents are clean. The binding is perfect.

863. Yeoman, R.S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1956, 9th ed. 1955. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. A small split in the cloth on the rear cover by the spine. The bottom corner of the back cover is rubbed. Better than Fine. (30.00)

ANOTHER AS ABOVE. Muted gilt which is rather typical for this volume, the contents are clean. The binding is perfect. This is a nice copy.

864. Yeoman, R.S. A GUIDE BOOK FOR UNITED STATES COINS, 1957, 10th ed. 1956. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. Fine. (25.00)

Some modest wear typical of the effects of having opened the book several times. Some light wear at both ends of the spine and the bottom edge. The binding is sound. Except for some notations on the inside cover and the adjacent free endpaper, the contents are bright, clean, and VF.

865. Yeoman, R.S., Lee Hewitt, Charles Green. 1943 HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS With Premium List. 1942, 2nd edition. 127 pp. Ills. Vals. Moderate cover spotting. The covers show some wear at the extremities. The covers are VG. The contents are VF. (50.00)

The covers of THE BLUEBOOK show rather typical spotting for the cloth blue covers of that period. The contents are mark-free and virtually pristine. The binding is tight. Scarce in this condition.

866. Yeoman, R.S., Lee Hewitt, Charles Green. 1950 HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS With Premium List. 1949, 8th edition. 127 pp. Ills. Vals. The covers show moderate wear. Discoloration from two taped labels having been removed from the spine. The covers are VG. The contents are VF. (50.00)

The binding is tight and the contents are bright and mark-free.

A Consignment from JEFF DANIHER

867. Breen, Walter with Ronald J. Gillio. CALIFORNIA PIONEER FRACTIONAL GOLD. Historic Gold Rush Small Change 1852-1856 and Suppressed Jewelers' Issues 1859-1882. 1983. 4to, pictorial blue and gold CaC. 160 pp. Ills. Bent at the top of the backstrip from postal box damage. The covers have some folds. The contents are clean and VF. (25.00)

An descriptive cataloguing of over 1000 specimens with enlarged halftones of both sides for each specimen. Also included is historical text, conversion charts and provenances. Elusive.

868. Burgess, F.W. CHATS ON OLD COINS. 1919, 2nd ed. 12mo, tan cloth. 393 pp. Ills. The binding is weak. The fore edge and bottom edge are spotted. There is minor foxing in the contents. VG or better. (15.00)

Produced in the U.K., this is a readable chronologically organized overview of coinage in 23 chapters from ancient Greek and Roman coinage to medieval and modern English coinage. Also included are chapters on American coinage, and 3 chapters on 17th to 19th century English tokens.

869. Collectors' Auction, Ltd. 4 (of 8) Auction Sales conducted between Sale 29 (March 27, 1988) and Sale 35 (September 7-8, 1990). 4to, red and white pictorial paper wraps. Fine to VF. (25.00)

Sales 29, 30, 32, and 35, the numbering system continuing from the Johnson & Jensen series, a grouping of which are offered below. These sales average 100 pages and 1300 lots. These profusely illustrated, heavily annotated, illustrated sales of art medals have become heavily sought reference material. Because they were not issued on high quality paper, there is some fading or wear. This is an important offering for the collector or researcher of medals.

870. Jefferson Full Step Nickel Club. PAK [JOURNAL]. 1980 to 1985, volumes 4 to 9 complete in 66 issues. 12mo, CaC. VF. (75.00)

As collectors (and investors) have become attentive to full-band Mercury dimes and full-bell line Franklin halves, this organization is concerned with the number of steps visible on Monticello on the reverse of Jefferson nickels. Each volume consists of 11 issues with the August-September (generally) issue being a combined issue. Each issue averages 30 pages and consists of articles about full-step Jefferson nickels and current numismatic news. ALSO this lot contains the PAK Jefferson Nickel Full Step Grading Guide, with a rarity guide and a price guide for 1979-1983. Significant runs of this periodical rarely appear in the marketplace.

871. Johnson & Jensen. 12 Consecutive Auction Catalogues from Number 15/16 (March 28, 1982) to Sale 27 (December 11, 1983). 4to, yellow pictorial paper wraps. Fine to VF. (75.00)

PRLs are included for sales 15/16, 23, and 24. The sales averaged 75 pages and 1200 lots. These were the last 12 sales of the firm. These profusely illustrated, heavily annotated, illustrated sales of art medals have become heavily sought reference material. Because they were not issued on high quality paper, there is some fading or wear. This is an important offering for the collector or researcher of medals. The last time we were able to offer any significant number of these sales was in our 7th mail bid sale where they were sought after by many, bringing substantially over estimate.

872. The Paper Money Collectors of Michigan. THE RAG PICKER. Volume IV, Issue Number 4 (November 20, 1969) to Volume X, Issue no. 6. (November-December 1975). 11x8.5 inches. Holed at margin for binder, as issued. Averaging Fine. (20.00)

As THE RAG PICKER was originally issued in unstapled sheets, accounting for each page in each of the issues here would be most impractical. Runs of this quarterly are quite unusual. We believe that these are complete, but will not guarantee it to be so.

873. Society of Paper Money Collectors. PAPER MONEY. Volumes 12 (1973) to 22 (1983), complete in 63 consecutive issues (Whole numbers 45 to 108, one combined number). 4to, pictorial CaC. Generally VF. (125.00)

11 consecutive years complete. Volume 12 consisted of four issues. There was also one combined issue: July-October 1976, Volume XV, nos. 4-5, Whole numbers 64/65. Significant runs of this bi-monthly, quality journal rarely appear in the marketplace. The quantity of quality articles about all facets of paper money make this the superior periodical an invaluable reference source. These are nice, clean copies.

874. Vantage Recording Company (Chicago). GILROY ROBERTS. KENNEDY HALF DOLLAR. The Designer and the Coin. nd. (c.1965). 33 1/3 compact record album, pictorial heavy card album. The album cover is Fine. The record is apparently VF. (10.00)

Catalogue number N-2, Numismatic Series. This is Roberts' personal narrative of his reminiscences of the creation of the Kennedy Half Dollar. The record label has printed on the label "Special Advanced Pressing." This and the following lot apparently are quite scarce.

875. Vantage Recording Company (Chicago). THE JEFFERSON NICKEL STORY As Told by the Designer FELIX OSCAR SCHLAG. nd. (c.1965). 33 1/3 compact record album, pictorial heavy card album. The album cover is Fine. The record is apparently VF. (10.00)

Catalogue number N-1, Numismatic Series. "The recording is an important documentation of the true story behind the creation of the Jefferson Nickel." The record label has printed on the label "Special Advanced Pressing"

876. Yeoman, Richard S. (ed.) WHITMAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. A Monthly Magazine Devoted To All Phases of Numismatics. Complete in 60 monthly issues from January 1964 to December 1968. Averaging Fine. (65.00)

The contributing authors to this quality periodical are a numismatic "Who's Who": Bowers, Breen, Julian, Kenney, Bolender, Newman, Taxay, Glaser, Willey, Yeoman, and many others. This covers the infinite variety of numismatics though North America numismatics is emphasized. A marvelous periodical that is vastly underappreciated. Nice sets such as this are becoming scarce.

A Small Consignment from FRANK KOVACS

FRANK KOVACS of San Mateo, California, a dealer in ancient coinage has conducted more than 10 auctions since 1980. Earlier, he also issued fixed price lists of ancient coinage.

877. Akerman, John Yonge. ANCIENT COINS OF CITIES AND PRINCES Geographically Arranged and Described. Hispania-Gallia-Britannia. 1846. 8vo, purple decorated cloth, gilt. 203 pp. 24 line drawn plates. The spine is chipped and faded. The covers are moderately rubbed. The contents are foxed and VG. (20.00)

Pencilled on the free endpaper, "Ed Frossard bought this for me at Scott's sale Number 102 Feb. 16-17, 1891 - 265 [\$2.65] Comm. [Commission] 15 [%] and Ex. charges 10c \$2.90., M.H. [No other identity indicated]." A neat reference from the nascent days of modern numismatic scholarship.

878. Grant, Michael. "THE HIGH ART OF GREEK PORTRAITURE" in HORIZON MAGAZINE. September 1963, Volume V, No. 7. Folio, brown cloth. A color halftone of an Agrippina sestertius on the front cover. Pages 33-41. 26 fine enlarged tinted illustrations of Roman Coins from Augustus to Maximinus II. The covers are worn and VG. The contents clean and Fine. (8.00)

A readable overview of the topic illustrated with coins from five different museum collections, including the ANS

879. Mionnet, T.E. DE LA RARETE ET DU PRIX DES MEDAILLES ROMAINES, Volume II. 1847. 12mo, red cloth. 568 pp. 11 finely engraved plates. The covers are disbound, but present. The leather spine missing. The contents are foxed. A complete research copy. (20.00)

Volume II is a descriptive cataloging of the coinage from Trajan to Constantine XIV. Part II of a classic nineteenth century reference.

880. Lange, Kurt. MUNZKUNST DES MITTELTALERS. 1942. 4to, green boards. 94 pp. 64 halftone plates of enlarged coins. The board spine is missing, not affecting the integrity of the binding. The boards are soiled and worn. Occasional foxing. But for some peripheral discoloration of the interior text pages, the text is Fine. The plates are better than Fine. (25.00)

C-S 7835, "Contains excellent photographs". The text requires a sophisticated reading knowledge of German. The plates are enlargements of hammered coinage, and bracteates, preceded in the text by a descriptive cataloging and historical text for each illustration.

881. Cahn, Adolph E. Auktions Katalog 82. June 28, 1933. Large format, CaC. 116 pp. 2554 lots. Estimate sheet. 12 fine tissue interleaved plates. The covers are soiled and worn at the spine and edges. The contents are clean and Fine. (20.00)

800 lots of orders, decorations, and military medals. The balance of the sale is mostly Germanic coinage from medieval to modern.

882. Helbing, Otto (Munich). Sammlung LUDWIG JAGER, Baden-Elsass. Sammlung ROBERT PILOTY. Bistum Wurzburg. Sammlung HERMANN. Antique Munzen. Serien von Passau, Bayern, Kempten, etc. October 24, 1927. 4to, later black cloth lettered in silver. 255 pp. 3890 lots. 80 fine pls. The original card covers are missing. The new cloth covers are nearly VF. The contents are clean and Fine. The plates are VF. (100.00)

C-S 9225. Excellent ancient Greek and Roman, featuring Aes Grave and excellent Roman bronzes. Also superior Germanic from medievals onward. The meticulous cataloging makes this easy to use with only a little knowledge of German.

Selections from the holdings of SAM CHAVAL

883. Ahwash, Kamal W. ENCYCLOPEDIA OF UNITED STATES LIBERTY SEATED DIMES 1837-1891. 1977. 4to, blue cloth, lettered in silver. 411 pp. Enlarged illustrations throughout. VF. (40.00)

C-S 12237. Autographed and dated by Ahwash on the front endpaper. This standard reference is always in demand.

884. Liberty Seated Collectors Club. THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL. 43 Consecutive Issues from July 1976, Volume II, Issue 6 to July 1990, Volume 16, Issue 48. 12mo, glossy white CaC. Averaging 32 pp. per issue. Ills. Fine to nearly Mint. (125.00)

THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL is one of the finest publications devoted to a particular numismatic series. The journal won the Numismatic Literary Guild award as best club publication for 1985. Each issue contains a series of important articles about specific aspects of each series written by the experts in the field. Also included are accounts of pertinent events and people. Significant runs of this worthy journal rarely appear in the marketplace. It is indeed a special opportunity to be able to obtain 15 consecutive years of this periodical.

885. Liberty Seated Collectors Club. THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL. COLLECTIVE VOLUME Number One. 1980. 4to maroon leatherette, gilt. 387 pp. Ills. VF. (35.00)

This compendium consists of nearly 150 articles, letters, and features covering all aspects of seated coinage which were originally printed in the GOBRECHT JOURNAL from 1974 to 1980. Not only are the individual issues scarce, but this compendium has become most elusive.

886. Liberty Seated Collectors Club. THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL. COLLECTIVE VOLUME Number Two. 1985. 4to maroon leatherette, gilt. 379 pp. Ills. VF. (35.00)

This second edition, in a binding which matches the above lot contains material from THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL from November 1980 (issue 19) to July 1985 (issue 33). matching compendium consists of nearly 150 articles, letters, and features covering all aspects of seated coinage which were originally printed in the GOBRECHT JOURNAL from 1974 to 1980.

887. Miller, Wayne. AN ANALYSIS OF MORGAN AND PEACE DOLLARS. 1976. 8vo, glossy black covers. 204 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

C-S 12322. Still of great use for Miller's research, observations, and analyses. Surprisingly scarce in nice condition.

888. Overton, Al C. EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES 1794-1836. 1967, first edition. 8vo, maroon cloth. 349 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. VF. (40.00)

Signed by Overton on the front flyleaf. The first edition evidently contains some information not available in subsequent editions. Always in demand. Another nice copy.

889. Paramount (David Akers), RARCOA, Stack's, Superior. AUCTION '79 to AUCTION '90, Complete in 12 volumes. Each with 2000 lots. Each with the PRL, but for Auction '90. (100.00)

Auction '84 is the SPECIAL HARDBOUND EDITION. Auction '79 has several pages loose. Auction '90 is Fine. The others are VF. Each copy may have a minute amount of rub or wear from being opened or from being shelved. Auction '84 a slight wrinkle, as made, in the cloth on the spine. This is an excellent opportunity to obtain a complete set of this important sales, especially useful with the PRLs.

890. Rome Reports. ROME'S PRICES REALIZED for U.S. Coins 1972-1978. Volumes II and III. 1979. 8vo, blue CaC. 1062 pp. in two volumes VF. (35.00)

These two volumes cover all of the silver issues from three cent pieces to trade dollars. These records list the prices realized for each date and mintmarked of each denomination for each sold at auction by 12 large U.S. auction houses including Bowers and Ruddy, Superior, Stack's, Merkin, Pine Tree, NASCA, and Kagin's. An invaluable resource tool for the entire American silver series covering seven years. Volume I covers the gold issues; Volume IV covers the copper coinage, neither of which is offered here.

891. Valentine, Daniel. THE UNITED STATES HALF DIMES. 1975 Quarterman reprint of the 1931 ANS monograph (NNM-48) with additions. 8vo, gray cloth. 273 pp. Ills. VF. (35.00)

C-S 12350. This includes reprints of Breen's supplement, Newlin's 1883 reference, Wil Neil's addendum to Newlin, and with additional significant additional text by David Davis and kamal Ahwash. The best on volume reference on the topic.

892. White, Weimar. THE LIBERTY SEATED DOLLAR 1840-1873. 1985. 8vo, blue cloth, lettered in silver. 83 pp. Ills. VF. (20.00)

Copy number 160 of 500, signed by White. An excellent one volume reference with historical and numismatic information, and issue-by-issue analyses.

893. Yeoman, R.S. 1951-1952 A GUIDE BOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS, 4th edition. 1950. 12mo red cloth. 254 pp. Ills. Vals. Good to VG. (35.00)

The covers are spotted, stained, and soiled. The binding is loose. Apparently several leaves had been damp causing some waviness. Otherwise the contents are clean and unmarked. AND 14 other REDBOOKS consisting of the following editions: 18-20, 23, 27-36, and 41. The last 5 editions are nearly Mint, including the scarcer 1980, 33rd ed.

Selections from the Numismatic Library of BOB GREENE

894. Dieffenbacher, Alfred. COUNTERFEIT GOLD COINS, NINETEENTH AND TWENTIETH CENTURIES, Fully Illustrated. 1963. 4to, heavy three-ring binder. [749] pp. Fine. (50.00)

Descriptions and enlarged illustrations of counterfeit gold coins juxtaposed with a legitimate example of gold coins issued by the U.S., France, Germany, Great Britain, and Switzerland. This work has become elusive complete as the U.S. section is frequently missing. This particular copy has each of the pages inserted in a clear plastic sheet. Thus, this copy is much thicker than normal and had to be inserted in a much more substantial binder.

895. Empire Coin Co. COINS OF GREAT BRITAIN. 1963, 2nd issue. 8vo, glossy self-covered. 20 pp. Ills. Nearly VF. (25.00)

This issue offers high grade English coinage from the 18th century onward. It is especially strong in English copper issues. A nice, clean copy. Scarce.

896. Holtzclaw, Henry. HISTORY OF THE BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING 1862-1962. 1964. 8vo, pictorial yellow, blue, and white cloth. 199 pp. Ills. 2 steel plate engravings. The lower left quadrant of the front cover is soiled and stained, otherwise VF. (85.00)

While this profusely illustrated history of the B.E.P. is most readable and quite important, the major appeal of this work is due to the two B.E.P. steel engraved plates bound in: one with color vignettes of each of the 4 homes of the B.E.P. since 1862, and the other of Abraham Lincoln. In fact, these engravings are so sought after that after removing them, the book was thrown out. The Lincoln engraving sells for \$75.00 and up; the B.E.P. buildings engraving sells for \$50.00 and up.

897. Merkin, Lester. [Sale 1] LOUIS HELFENSTEIN Collection of Large Cents. August 14, 1964. 8vo, pictorial CaC. 64 pp. 332 lots. PRL. Also priced in ink. Ills. But for the back cover showing soiling, VF. (25.00)

C-S 12393. From Jack Collins, "This landmark sale was catalogued by Walter Breen, then extensively revised and the coins regraded by C. Douglas Smith." An important sale of a famous collection of large cents. Incidentally, this was the first U.S. auction catalogue with full-color covers.

898. Merkin, Lester. [Sale 3]. Collection of United States [Coins]. The DR. GEORGE FULD Collection "Wealth of the South Mulings". April 1, 1966. 51 pp. 579 lots. Ills. VF. (15.00)

Excellent large cents with provenancing. "The finest collection of United States Dimes 1796-1916" with most important text, provenancing, and census information about superb bust dimes. 76 lots of Fuld's mulings of Civil War tokens. A superior catalogue.

899. New Netherlands. 46th Catalogue: CLARENCE PEAKE and EARL E. ODAL. June 17, 1955. 32 pp. 959 lots. PRL. 2 pls. Many inked prices and notations inside. The front cover is worn, rough, and has a tear in it. The remainder of the catalogue is otherwise clean. (10.00)

129 lots of \$20.00s, 117 lots of \$10.00s, 100 lots of \$5.00s, all with good descriptive text. Excellent Barber coinage.

900. New Netherlands. 47th Catalogue: T.J. CLARKE. April 19-20, 1956. 81 pp. 1645 lots. PRL. Frontis. 5 pls. Nearly VF. (15.00)
Important bust halves with extensive text: unc 1794, 2 unc 1795s, proof 1796 15 star, au 1797 Impressive bust silver, California fractional gold, 400 lots of Clarke's currency. Underappreciated.
901. New Netherlands. 48th Catalogue: Twentieth Anniversary Sale. November 24, 1956. 52 pp. 923 lots. 10 pls. The covers are better than Fine. The contents are VF. (15.00)
200 well-catalogued \$2.50s, 13 pre-1808. Good half cents, large cents, colonials, and bust dollars Also a history (1936 - 1956) of New Netherlands. Especially scarce in nice condition.
902. New Netherlands. 49th Catalogue: MAIEVANS and Duplicates from the LOUIS ELIASBERG Collection. June 12-13, 1957. 73 pp. 1415 lots. 6 pls. Some inked notations inside. Fine. (15.00)
Nearly 650 duplicates from the Eliasberg gold collection (which today probably are all residing in polystyrene). Important bust quarters with 2 1823/22s and an 1827 original with a full page of text. A nice copy.
903. New Netherlands. 50th Catalogue: A Splendid Offering of Large Cents 1793-1839. December 6-7, 1957. 100 pp. 1601 lots. PRL. 8 fine pls. Other than some pencilled notations inside and some soiling on the back cover, VF. (35.00)
A major offering of superior large cents from F. C. C. Boyd, Dr. Sheldon, Walter Breen, and Judge Thomas Gaskill. Census cents abound in the 700 lots catalogued mostly by Breen, according to the knowledgeable Jack Collins. Excellent, important descriptive text. Vastly underappreciated as a reference. A nice copy of an important sale.
904. New Netherlands. 51st Catalogue. June 19-20, 1958. 80 pp. 1309 lots. PRL. 6 pls. VF. (20.00)
Connecticut cents from Hall and Brand, Massachusetts coppers from Wurtzbach, the discovery specimen of the "Inimica Tyrannis Americana-Confederatio with small stars", 1894-S dime, extraordinary half cents, and the balance of the large cents from the 50th sale - 1839 to 1857. A superbly catalogued sale, greatly underappreciated.
905. New Netherlands. [ELLIOT LANDAU and SYDNEY KERKSIS] 52nd Catalog of Choice U.S. Coins and Georgia Paper Money. December 13, 1958. 50 pp. 742 lots. PRL. 4 fine pls. Nearly VF. (20.00)
The offerings include 69 lots of large cents formerly from Downing, Ryder, and Gaskill-Boyd. Also included is a 1792 silver centre cent and 94 lots of Georgia state and territorial notes. Clean.
906. New Netherlands. 53rd Catalogue: PHILIP G. STRAUS. June 16-18, 1959. 85 pp. 2175 lots. 2 pls. Nearly VF. (25.00)
50 lots of decent large cents. 1867 proof nickel with rays with excellent text. Good silver trimes in proof. Unique 1800 half dime variety. Nice seated liberty silver. 350 lots of U.S. gold. 1804 "electrotype" dollar with important text. Excellent currency
907. New Netherlands. 55th Catalogue. December 7-8, 1960. 59 pp. 1328 lots. 11 pls. VF. (15.00)
All gold coinage - 431 lots of U. S. gold. 128 lots of California fractional gold.
908. New Netherlands. 56th Catalogue: Fine United States Half Cents, Large Cents. June 27, 1962. 51 pp. 795 lots. PRICED IN INK. 5 pls. The covers are soiled. Otherwise the contents are VF. (20.00)
63 important half cents and 162 important large cents with text, the finest known 1799/98 (S-188). Superior cataloguing.
909. New Netherlands. 57th Catalogue of United States Coins. December 10-11, 1963. 75 pp. 1254 lots. 5 pls. VF to nearly Mint. (20.00)
A potpourri of well-catalogued, rare, and important numismatica. 3 "census" half cents. Large cents: 1794 S-52 "Second Finest", 1797 S-125 "Finest Known", 1798 S-178 "Third Finest". Excellent early half dimes and dimes. 160 excellent, attributed bust halves with superior text. Impressive bust dollars. A genuinely underappreciated sale.
910. New Netherlands. 58th Catalogue. September 22-23, 1964. 64 pp. 1102 lots. PRL. 8 pls. But for a fold on the back cover, and some inked notations inside, VF. (25.00)
One of the most important sales ever of Canadian decimal coinage, the RALPH LATHROP Collection and the stock of the late WAYTE RAYMOND. Over 1000 superb offerings of Canadian and Maritime coinage with excellent descriptive text. In great demand.
911. New Netherlands. 59th Catalogue. June 13-15, 1967. 136 pp. 1370 lots. 6 pls. But for folds on the bottom corners of both covers, and less noticeably on the interior pages, VF. (25.00)
Absolutely superb numismatic literature, ex Raymond-Boyd, superbly catalogued by John Ford. 184 important large cents catalogued by John Hanson, including a 1795 "Jefferson head" and many census pieces. 450 lots of extraordinary Canadian. Perhaps the most underappreciated New Netherlands sale
912. New Netherlands. 60th Public Auction Sale. December 12-13, 1968. 114 pp. 758 lots. 16 pls. VF. (18.00)
327 colonials with important text, featuring important states colonials including 46 important NJ cents Also good pre-Confederation Canadian and Important territorial and private gold. The descriptive text for the colonials is most expansive and important. This is considered to be Ford's magnum opus. A superior reference work.
913. New Netherlands. 61st Public Auction Sale. June 30, 1970. 61 pp. 607 lots. 6 pls. VF. (15.00)
108 important patterns with important, expansive descriptive text. Quality half cents and large cents. The Angus Black collection of half dimes, with an 1802 nEF. Important text on the early half dimes.

914. New Netherlands Coin Company and B.A. Seaby, Ltd. [Sale 64: The TED NAFTZGER Collection]. An Important Collection of Early Large Cents. November 14-15, 1973. 105 pp. 1066 lots. Estimate sheet. 48 pls. VF. (20.00)

Most of the well provenanced 285 cents were census coins: 4 unc 1793 "wreaths". Nearly complete Sheldon varieties. Wonderful cataloguing by Jon Hanson. 14 of the plates illustrate both sides of 210 cents. A core sale of large cents.

915. New Netherlands. The Previous 16 lots of NEW NETHERLANDS Catalogues. (303.00)

To be successful, the bid for this lot must exceed the sum of the individual bids for the previous 16 lots (lots 899 to 914) of New Netherlands auction catalogues.

916. RARCOA. [Sale 1] The J.F. BELL Collection of U.S. Gold Coins. April 26-28, 1963. 176 pp. 1570 lots. Profusely illustrated. The front cover is heavily soiled. The contents are Fine. (20.00)

C-S 11924. Outstanding rarities and quality: gem p/l 1796 with stars \$2.50, EF 1841 \$2.50, a gilt trial piece of the 1875 \$3.00, outstanding 1920-S and 1930-S \$20.00s. A magnificent sale, well-catalogued and scarce. An earlier Bell gold sale was held by Stack's in 1944, Bell being the pseudonym of Jacob Shapero.

917. Stack's. The R.L. MILES, JR. Collection. Part II: Silver & Copper Coins. April 10-12, 1969. 8vo, tan leatherette CaC. 163 pp. 1741 lots. Ills. VF. (20.00)

C-S 12405. The two Miles sales (the first one offered the gold coins) are among the most infrequently offered Stack's sales since 1954. Perhaps its scarcity accounts for its being so underappreciated. Highlights: 76 superior half cents with both 1796s, one is unc. 150 superior large cents. Superior half dimes with an 1802. Excellent bust dimes. 1876-CC 20 cent piece. Outstanding bust quarters with both the 1823/22 and 1827. Excellent bust dollars and 8 different variety Gobrecht dollars. A underappreciated, but nonetheless classic American sale.

Selections from the Holdings of a Western Collector

918. Dillistin, William H. BANK NOTE REPORTERS AND COUNTERFEIT DETECTORS 1826-1866. 4 copies. NNM-114. 1949. 175 pp. 19 pls. Nearly Mint to Mint. (50.00)

This includes chapters on early banks, counterfeiters and counterfeiting, "wildcat" banks and notes, and a valuable annotated list - "The Reporters and their Publishers". Important and quite readable.

919. Friedberg, Robert. COINS OF THE BRITISH WORLD Complete from 500 A.D. to the Present. 1962. 4to, original red cloth. 210 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)

With the scarcer variant red cloth covers. Most valuable for the medieval issues, the gold, and Friedberg numbering system used in various auction catalogues.

920. Friedberg, Robert. GOLD COINS OF THE WORLD Complete from 600 A.D. to 1958. 1958, 1st ed. 4to, gray cloth. 384 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)

The first comprehensive English language reference is most important for the early and medieval issues. Scarce.

921. Friedberg, Robert, revise and edited by Jack Friedberg. GOLD COINS OF THE WORLD Complete from 600 A.D. to the Present. 1971, 3rd ed. 4to, Blue and gold pictorial cloth. 428 pp. Ills. Vals. VF. (15.00)

Again this is most useful for the Chinese and Indian issues and for European hammered issues.

922. Wait, George. NEW JERSEY'S MONEY. 1976, 1/4 brown cloth and blue boards. 434 pp. Ills. Rarity guide. VF. (20.00)

C-S 13421. Over 3000 items (450 illustrated) covering mediums of exchange: obsolete banknotes, old scrip, and paper money of the Depression. Only 2 pages deal with colonial coinage. Sought after.

923. Willem, John M. THE UNITED STATES TRADE DOLLAR: America's only Unwanted, Unhonored Coin. 1983, Durst reprint. 8vo, silver cloth. 191 pp. Ills. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12356. This scholarly, readable, definitive reference also includes valuable material on trade dollars of the world. This also deals with the 1884 and 1885 trade dollars, and trade dollar patterns.

Auction Catalogues

924. Bowers and Ruddy. 27 of their First 29 Auction Catalogues from ROBERT MARKS (Sale, 2: November 10, 1972) to ROBERT C. HALL (Sale 29: October 26, 1978). The sale is 8vo; the remainder 4to. 6 with original PRLs. Many of the sales have some cover rub and scuffing typical of shelved, glossy covered catalogues. Generally the contents are VF. (175.00)

Missing are Sale 1, the Armand Champa collection, sale and Sale 24, the Donald Herdman Collection. The Herstal collection sale is only Fine. This lot consists of many of the scarcer and important early Bowers sales. It would be hard to imagine any officially (or unofficially) issued coin which is not issued in this run. This is an especially important reference grouping as included are the following sales: Terrell, Herstal (w/PRL), Rothert, Kensington, Dundee, Fairfield (w/PRL), 1978 A.N.A. The scarcer sales included are: Krugjohann I, Getty, Willing, Roy Harte I.

925. Bowers and Merena. The VIRGIL BRAND Collection. PART I: AMERICAN COINS. November 7, 1983. Quarto, glossy CAC. 120 pp. 943 lots. The covers are Fine. The contents are nearly Mint. (15.00)

The sale, which brought \$1.8 million, offers extensive text and featured outstanding U. S. gold. An 1819 5D/50 brought \$55,000 (and was given 2 pages of text). Also featured were an 1829 \$5.00 on a large flan, an unique 1832 13 star proof \$5.00. The storied 1862 British Columbia \$10.00, to which 11 pages was devoted, brought \$88,000. The 2 Brand catalogues and sales seem to have been pushed aside in the recent numismatic shuffle.

926. Bowers and Merena. The VIRGIL BRAND Collection. PART II: AMERICAN COINS. June 18, 1984. Quarto, glossy CaC. 212 pp. 1627 lots. Prl. The covers are Fine. The contents are nearly Mint. (15.00)

An absolutely incredible sale and reference for colonials and private and territorial gold: Rosa Americana rarities with text, the unique six Washington Seasons proof medals, Templeton Reid and Bechtler gold.

927. Bowers and Merena. The HARRY EINSTEIN Collection. June 23-25, 1986. 226 pp. 4152 lots, PRL. 4 color plates. Ills. The covers are Fine. The contents are nearly Mint. (15.00)

The Garrett 1804 dollar; the 1802 and 1803 proof restrike dollars; excellent U.S. gold.

928. Bowers and Merena. THE FREDERICK B. TAYLOR Collection. March 26-28, 1987. 317 pp. 3915 lots. PRL. 3 color plates. Ills. VF. (25.00)

Another of the modern sales destined to be a classic for its offerings and outstanding text. "...the finest collection [Warren Baker's] of blacksmith coppers offered for public sale and the finest collection ever assembled"; 130 lots extensively catalogued by Michael Oppenheim. The 753 lots of early American coins include "the finest collection [of Vermont coppers] ever to be auctioned.... The Massachusetts coppers are likewise choice.... The New Jersey series is one of the largest ever assembled privately.... The series of Connecticut coppers is outstanding...and contains 88% of all known varieties...."

929. Bowers and Merena. The AUBREY and ADELINE BEBEE Collection: The 1987 A.N.A. SALE. August 26-29, 1987. 320 pp. 4621 lots. 6 color plates. The covers are Fine. The contents are nearly Mint. (15.00)

1794 dollars, stellas, 1877 \$50.00 pattern, important currency, superb multiple talers.

930. Bowers and Merena. The NORWEB Collection, PART I: EARLY AMERICAN and U.S. COINS. October 12-13, 1987. 4to, glossy CaC. 409 pp. 1411 lots, Prl. 8 color pls. Ills. But for a bend corner at the bottom of the front cover, VF or better. (25.00)

The three Norweb sales are already modern classics. Outstanding half cents, including "the finest collection of proofs ever to cross the auction block". This collection is responsible for the renewed interest in "the little half sisters", and the concomitant price increase for its important numismatic literature.

931. Bowers and Merena. The NORWEB Collection, PART II: EARLY AMERICAN and U.S. COINS. March 24-25, 1988. 4to, glossy CaC. 291 pp. 1270 lots. Prl. 6 color pls. Ills. VF. (25.00)

The second part of the Norweb Collection of colonial coins features St. Patrick coppers, Rosa Americana issues, Massachusetts copper coinage, Connecticut copper coinage, Continental currency pieces, and the outstanding New York-related Confederatio and Immune Columbia series." Also featured are magnificent gold, 1884 and 1885 trade dollars, amazing bust and seated liberty quarters with both an 1827 original and restrike.

Properties from Various Consignors

932. ACTS OF CONGRESS RELATING TO LOANS AND THE CURRENCY from 1842 to 1863 Inclusive. 1863. 8vo, original decorated black cloth, gilt. iv, 74, 8 pp. The covers which are rubbed at the edges are disbound, but present. The cloth spine is missing. 3 supplemental leaves are disbound and are attached to the disbound back cover. The contents are bright, clean, and Fine. Currently a reference copy. (25.00)

Ex-libris Astor Library, New York with few, discreet library markings. The text, with typeset marginal annotations, of 22 acts is presented. A chapter in which each of the cited Acts is analyzed is included. Quite scarce. With judicious repairs by a binder, this would be a fine or better copy.

933. Breen, Walter. THE MINTING PROCESS. How Coins Are Made and Mismade. 1970. 12mo, orange pictorial and printed CaC. 162 pp. 1 fold-out page. The front covers is heavily and evenly soiled. The back cover and the contents are clean and Fine or better. (50.00)

Quoting from Jeff Rock's "Books about U.S. Silver and Gold Coins Prior to 1837 and Pioneer and Territorial Gold" printed in THE ASYLUM Volume VIII, No. 4, Winter 1990, p. 7:

A modern rarity, this soft-cover book consists of twenty-four lessons on coinage, with an emphasis on minting fundamentals, error coins, and blundered dies.... Much of the abundant information in this book was previously unpublished. This booklet is extremely difficult to locate; I have never seen a copy in an auction, and my copy cost over \$50.00 a decade ago. If it does appear at auction it should sell for \$50.00 to \$75.00.

934. THE CIVIL WAR TOKEN SOCIETY (CWTS) JOURNAL. 1967-1972, Volumes 1 through 6 complete. CWTS Reprint. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. Mint, in the original shipping box. (30.00)

The early issues of this periodical are quite scarce necessitating this quality reprint. The early issues contain an invaluable compilation of information for the collector, and convey a sense of joy in collecting this wonderful form of Numismatica Americana.

935. Frossard, Ed. NUMISMA. 1983 RAMM Communications reprint. 8vo, tan card covers, GBC (black plastic circular binding). Approximately 500 pp. VF. (100.00)

C-S 765. Number 41 of 100 numbered copies. Perhaps the liveliest American numismatic periodical ever, Frossard produced 10 volumes of NUMISMA from 1877 to 1891 consisting of 60 numbers in 59 issues. The first nine volumes were issued bi-monthly with the final volume being issued over a five year period.

Frossard began NUMISMA after having served as the editor for the first year of Scott's COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. NUMISMA is particularly important for being an authoritative record of American numismatics from the period between 1876 where Attinelli's NUMISGRAPHICS left off and the late 1880's and early 1890's with the beginning of the NUMISMATIST.

Primarily devoted to American numismatics, the monographs also included topics on ancient and foreign coins and medals. A few specific articles were "The Starred Cent, 1794", a series on Sutlers' checks, "French-American Colonial Jetons", "U.S. Pattern Coins. Their Illegal issue and Sale, and the Ineffectual Efforts of Numismatists to Check It", and "Early Days of the United States Mint."

Possibly, its greatest value consists of the detailed accounts the contemporary numismatic scene, detailed accounts of auction sales of the time, book reviews, "Numismatic Gossip", proceedings of numismatic societies, and Frossard's uninhibited views of his contemporaries.

We believe that no more than 10, and probably several less, complete original sets exist. In 1983, George Kolbe sold a complete original set in the Ted Craige sale for \$1700 plus 10% on a \$1250 estimate. In 1983 Remy Bourne reprinted 100 copies which were sold through Cal Wilson for \$128. We were fortunate to obtain the last 30 copies earlier this year which we subsequently had rebound in brown cloth. Remy authorized us to sell them for \$96. We announced their being available in our June 1990 issue of *OUT ON A LIMB*. They were sold completely sold out within 2 weeks leaving many people disappointed whose orders could not be filled.

We can only account for 3 of the GBC bound copies coming on the secondary market since 1983, testimony to how dearly they are valued. We have found our copies to be of inestimable value and irreplaceable. Consequently, as both original sets of *NUMISMA* and even copies of this reprint in either format are also are virtually unobtainable, this is quite a special opportunity to acquire a copy of this classic periodical. Because of the continuing demand for this reprint and because copies just do not come to the marketplace, we really would not be surprised to see this GBC bound reprint sell for much more than our estimate.

936. Fry, Richard (Introduction by Andrew McFarland Davis). *SCHEME FOR A PAPER CURRENCY*. 1968 Burt Franklin reprint of the 1908 Davis reprint of the 1739 original. 12mo, red cloth, gilt. xxxi, 31 pp. Nearly Mint. (20.00)

Early financial speculation in colonial Massachusetts.

937. Fuld, George and Melvin. *U.S. CIVIL WAR STORE CARDS*. 1972, 1st ed. 4to, brown leatherette, gilt. 615 pp. Rarity guide. Ills. The hinges are weak, Fine. (45.00)

This huge reference followed the Fuld's Whitman black card covered 1962 (and 1965 revised edition) *A GUIDE TO CIVIL WAR STORE CARDS*. This profusely illustrated reference catalogues over 8400 store cards by state, and alphabetically by city or town, giving the metal, the edge type, the rarity, and the Hetrich-Gutttag reference number. Quite elusive.

938. Gengerke, Martin. *UNITED STATES PAPER MONEY RECORDS*. 1989, 5th ed. 4to, flexible blue CaC, spiral bound. 131 pp. Rarity guide. VF or better. (50.00)

Inscribed by Gengerke inside. This quasi-"Rome's Reports" for currency cites over 3000 auction records and listings from fixed price lists organized by Friedberg catalogue numbers. Contained herein are the conditions and the prices realized for demand notes, legal tender notes, compound interest treasury notes, interest bearing notes, silver certificates, treasury or coin notes, Federal Reserve notes, national gold bank notes, and gold certificates. Martin, a cataloguer for Stack's, is most well-known to numismatic literature buffs for his standard reference *AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AUCTIONS*. Copies of this paper money reference rarely appear in the marketplace.

939. Grierson, Philip. *BIBLIOGRAPHIE NUMISMATIQUE*. 1966, 2nd ed. 8vo, gray CaC. 235 pp. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12*. The French version of the 1965 Clain-Stefanelli is quite scarce this side of the Atlantic. Rather than assigning each entry a number as is done in Clain-Stefanelli, these are listed alphabetically within various categories: [translating] General Works, Primitive Money, Ancients, Medieval and Modern Europe (by country), European Colonial Coinage, Moslem, India, The Orient, Tokens, Medals, and Auction Catalogues. Many European references which are not listed in Clain-Stefanelli are listed here. Also introductory and annotated text are included. A third edition was issued in 1979. Scarce.

940. Head, Barclay. *A GUIDE TO THE SELECT GREEK AND ROMAN COINS* Exhibited in Electrotype. Synopsis of the Contents of the British Museum. 1880. 16mo, black cloth. 128 pp. VG. (15.00)

A detailed listing including much historical and numismatic text. Some foxing and interior pencilled notations. Cute.

941. Hewitt, Lee. *NUMISMATIC SCRAPBOOK*. Volume II complete in 4 issues. 1936. 24mo, yellow CaC. 108 total pages in 4 issues. There is a coded pencil notation on the front cover of one issue, and a small strip of discoloration on the bottom margin of another. Otherwise, the covers are bright and nearly VF; the contents are VF. (75.00)

C-S 796. The print run for each 1936 issue was between 250 and 350. The small issues of his first two years (1935 & 1936) are so scarce that Hewitt reprinted them in 1961. Among the contents of the issues are serial reprints of chapters from Doughty on the cents of 1804 to 1811. The 1935 and 1936 issues were distributed free. These early issues are scarce, especially in such nice condition.

942. Hoppe, Donald. *HOW TO INVEST IN GOLD COINS*. 1970. 12mo, CaC. 295 pp. 16 pls. Nearly Mint. (10.00)

Despite the title, there is much good historical information here about ancient, U.S., and modern world gold.

943. Kimmell, Jerry. *KIMMELL'S ANALYSIS OF PIONEER GOLD*. 1975. 4to, printed green covers, plastic spiral bound. 44 pp. Nearly Mint. (30.00)

A privately issued listing of auction sale appearances of pioneer gold coins, this is a quasi-"Rome's Reports" going back to the nineteenth century to distill over a hundred years of auction records. "During the past 15 years, after scanning several thousand coin auction and mail bid sales, approximately two hundred and fifty have been found containing pioneer coins." Also included is a table listing the frequency of appearance of Bechtler coinage and other territorial coinage listed by denomination. This report is scarce and a most important source of information for the territorial gold researcher.

While we were aware of Jerry's work, we were pleasantly surprised when he phoned us a few weeks ago and asked if he could drop by the office. We were equally astonished when during his most enjoyable visit we learned that he has always lived only about fifteen minutes from our office.

944. Loubat, J[oseph] F[lorimond, Duke of]. THE MEDALLIC HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 1776 - 1876. With 170 etchings by Jules Jacquemart. 2 volumes. 1878. New York. Folio, original orange cloth, gilt. lxix, 478 pages in text volume. 86 finely engraved plates with tissue guards in the plate volume. The covers on the text volume are heavily rubbed and worn; the cloth on the spine is broken in two places. Because of the mass of the text volume, the joints are nearly broken. The covers on the text volume are worn at the extremities, more heavily at the ends of the spine. The contents of each volume are most attractive and absolutely clean and VF. (225.00)

C-S 15073*. One of the handsomest works ever produced pertaining to American numismatics. Jacquemart's plates were printed on India paper and then mounted on thick hand-made paper especially produced for this work. Loubat was the first author to systematically investigate medals of the United States. He indicated that by the time he undertook the production of this work that most other countries already had "costly publications [about their national medallic history], illustrated by elaborate engravings, with carefully prepared letter-press description and notes". Records indicate that this project cost Loubat a great deal of money, much more than he recovered from the sales of the book. Thus he appears to have established a precedent for the vast majority of numismatic authors and publishers in this country.

The "Introduction" is a riveting narrative about the challenges Loubat underwent in acquiring the necessary information to write this work. His account reveals a great deal about mint practices, engravers, and the early days of numismatics in this country. The contents of the text volume contain biographical information and all pertinent documents about each medal. There is an engraving of extraordinary quality for both the obverse and the reverse of each of the 86 medals. The engravings have such aesthetic medal that plate volumes are disbound, having the engravings mounted, framed, and sold to collectors of engravings and fine art. This explains why often only the text volume appears. This majestic work is truly a centerpiece for a fine library of American numismatics.

The condition of the covers is not unusual due to the bulk of the contents. Because much of the original cloth covers on each volume is clean, we would suggest that the talents of a skillful binder be utilized to bring the covers and the joints up to the excellent condition of the contents.

945. THE MEDAL COLLECTOR. Official Publication of the Orders and Medals Society of America. 6 early issues from December 1951 to November-December 1952. 8vo, paper covers, mostly glossy. Averaging 16 pages. Ills. VG. (50.00)

C-S 668. This was the forerunner of the THE MEDAL COLLECTOR BULLETIN, offered below. The 6 issues consist of December 1951 (Vol. 2, no. 7), March and April 1952 (Volume 3, nos. 3 and 4), July 1952 (Volume 3, no. 7), September/October and November/December 1952 (Volume 3, nos. 9/10 and 11/12). 4 other issues are included. These issues are quite scarce.

946. THE MEDAL COLLECTOR BULLETIN. Official Publication of the Orders and Medals Society of America. 14 of the first 15 issues, the November 1954 issue is missing. 1954-1955. 8vo, self-covered. The first 11 issues have 8 pages, the next 3 have 12 pages. Ills. VG to Fine. (50.00)

C-S 668. Volume I, 1954 consists of 12 numbers in 10 issues from the January-March combined issue to December 1954. The first three monthly issues of Volume 2, 1955 are present. These profusely illustrated issues cover U.S. and foreign medals and decorations. As this aspect of numismatics has become increasingly popular, the demand for the scarce, early issues of this journal has increased significantly. Most elusive.

947. Parker, Wyman. CONNECTICUT'S COLONIAL AND CONTINENTAL CURRENCY. 1977. The American Revolutionary Bicentennial Commission of Connecticut. Connecticut Bicentennial Series, XVIII. 8vo, red pictorial CaC. 52 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (20.00)

C-S 13328. This work was not distributed through numismatic channels. Most of the illustrated numismatic items are from the Yale University collection. This excellent survey contains much data about colonial currency, counterfeiters, and engravers. Quite scarce.

948. Schulman, Hans M.F. and H.W. Holzer. THE COIN COLLECTOR'S ALMANAC. 1946. 8vo, green cloth. 372 pp. 12 pls. VG. (12.00)

C-S 331. Most useful for the extensive glossaries, indexes, and multi-lingual translations. Perhaps the best endorsement for the book is that every copy we have encountered has been well-used, not merely shelved.

949. Society of Paper Money Collectors. PAPER MONEY. Devoted to the Study of Currency. 28 of 29 consecutive issues from Winter 1964 (Volume 3, no. 1, whole number 9) to Third Quarter 1970 (Volume 9, no. 3, whole number 35). 4to, glossy white pictorial CaC. Other than whole number 28 (Fourth quarter 1968 which has come loose from the worn covers), the covers are VG and better. The contents are generally VF. (100.00)

C-S 862. This lot consists of Winter 1964 (Volume 3, no. 1, whole number 9) to whole number 35 (ending with Vol. 9, no. 3) missing only Vol. 5, no. 3, whole number 19. The early issues of this periodical are quite scarce and eagerly pursued. It is quite unusual for such a significant number of the early issues to be offered.

950. Stack's. [List 35] COINS, MEDALS, PAPER MONEY OF THE WORLD. Fixed Price List 1945-1946. 1946. 8vo, brown leatherette, gilt. 272 pp. Ills. The covers are Fine. The contents are VG. (35.00)

THE SPECIAL HARDBOUND EDITION. While hardbound versions of the 1940, 167 page list, and the 1942 list in both blue and red covers are generally known, this list is not. Remy Bourne, who has been researching the Stack's lists for years, was not familiar with this hardbound edition. In fact, in Bourne's definitive listing of the Stack's FPLs in his 1989 AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SALES AND PROMOTIONAL LITERATURE, this hardbound copy is not listed. This is quite scarce.

951. Sutherland, C.H.V. COINAGE IN ROMAN IMPERIAL POLICY, 31 B.C.-A.D. 68. 1951, 1st ed. 8vo, black cloth, gilt. 220 pp. 17 fine plates illustrating 180 coins. Nearly VF. (35.00)

C-S 4097. An excellent, readable numismatic/historical overview organized chronologically by ruler.

952. Token and Medal Society. TAMS JOURNAL. The Journal of the Token and Medal Society. The First Five Volumes, 23 issues. The first 12 issues are quarto, typescript, and holed at the margin for a binder. The remaining issues are 4to, CaC. Except for the first two issue, VF. (100.00)

C-S 941. Volume I, Numbers 1 and 2 were titled THE SOCIETY OF TOKEN, MEDAL & OBSOLETE PAPER MONEY COLLECTORS QUARTERLY BULLETIN. The following issues through the end of Volume V were titled THE JOURNAL OF THE TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY.

VOLUME I, 1961 is complete in 4 issues. Part of the margin by the binder holes of the first leaf of Volume I, no. 1 is torn away; the leaf has been torn out of binder causing the marginal edges of the binder holes to be missing; there is also a one inch tear extending from the margin diagonally inward on page 1. The remainder of the issue is fine. Volume I, number 2 has an outlined paper clip rust stain on the first and last page.

VOLUME II, 1962 is complete in 5 issues.

VOLUME III, 1963 is complete in 4 issues.

VOLUME IV, 1964 is complete in 4 issues.

VOLUME V, 1965 has five issues. We do not believe that a sixth issue was issued for the year. The fifth issue contains an excellent history of the early days of TAMS.

VOLUME VI, 1966 is complete in 5 issues.

Original copies of the early issues are decidedly scarce and rarely offered. Most who are trying to assemble a complete set of the TAMS JOURNALS have had to settle for the reprints of the early issues. Except as noted, these are nice, most satisfactory copies. We believe that this is a complete set.

UNITED STATES AUCTION CATALOGUES FEATURING LARGE CENTS

953. Merkin, Lester. [Sale 1] The LOUIS HELFENSTEIN Collection of Large Cents 1793-1857. August 14, 1964. 12mo, tan linen covers, lettered in gilt, with a color photograph of large cents affixed to the front cover. 64 pp. 332 lots. THE PRICES TYPESET IN PRINTED IN BLUE Following Each Lot. But for the some slight soiling on the covers, VF. (100.00)

C-S 12393. THE DELUXE LIBRARY EDITION limited to 100 copies; this is copy number 38. One of the great large cent sales especially desirable in the deluxe clothbound format. This is a really nice copy.

954. New Netherlands. 41st Catalogue: The HILLYER RYDER Collection of Large Cents. September 26, 1953. 52 pp. 949 lots. 6 pls. The covers are Fine. The contents are VF. (30.00)

C-S 12418. The important Ryder large cents, actually consigned by Wayte Raymond, are thoroughly catalogued, provenanced, attributed, and pictured on 5 plates. The cents consist of 86 "Sheldons" and 121 "Newcombs". A quality reference work. Also included are 164 lots of well-catalogued patterns.

955. Stack's. The DR. E.F. SLATER Collection et al of United States Gold and Silver Coins. February 13-15, 1947. 56 pp. 2087 lots. The glossy card covers are peripherally spotted. The contents are VF. (15.00)

185 lots of attributed large cents with good middle and late dates. A good run of half dimes with a VF 1805. Some good branch mint \$5.00s with an 1820 p/l unc. Another good grouping of \$5.00s: VF 1796/5, unc 1820 & 1823, EF 1826. A "perfect" proof 1833 \$2.50. Unc early \$10.00s: 1797 large eagle, 1801, 1803. Good English gold with some important Scottish gold. An important, scarce sale

956. Stack's. [JOSEPH SAWICKI Collection of Large Cents]. United States and Foreign Coins. February 27, 1954. Small format, glossy white CaC. 32 pp. 969 lots. 3 plate of large cents. But for a slight strip of discoloration on the top of the front cover, VF. (20.00)

C-S 12421. This particularly scarce small format sale features 180 attributed lots of Sawicki's large cents. 42 of the cents are illustrated on both sides on 3 plates. The text is quite useful.

957. Stack's. The MILTON HOLMES Collection. October 5-8, 1960. 158 pp. 4135 lots. PRL. 18 pls. Nearly VF. (15.00)

C-S 11994 "... one of the finest and most important large cent sales of the decade; catalogued by C. Douglas Smith," wrote Jack Collins. 338 lots (115 lots of early dates) of well-catalogued, provenanced (many ex-Newcomb) large cents, 45 plated on both sides: 26 different 1794 Hays varieties, VF 1799, . 70 attributed quality large cents, 13 plated on both sides: unc 1793, unc 1800, EF 1802, 3 unc 1804s, 18 proofs with 11 originals. 180 lots of quality bust halves: 9 1795s with a "3 leaf". 38 attributed quality bust dollars. "The most extensive collection of Half Dimes we have ever offered at public auction", 112 lots with the early dates attributed: 14 varieties or subvarieties with 9 of them unc and 5 Valentine plate coins: "specimen" 1796, unc 1800, AU 1801, VF 1805. Gem BU 1797 13 and 16 star dimes. Gem 1871-CC dime. Excellent quarters: EF 1804, BU 1807, proof 1840. Excellent early and turban \$2.50s. Superb \$5.00s with BU 1823 and many mintmarks. A sale of superior quality which also tends to be ignored because it generally appears in terrible condition.

958. Stack's. The WILLIAM VAN RODEN Collection of Large Cents. May 2, 1968. 134 pp. 1734 lots. PRL. 11ls. VF. (12.00)

C-S 12434. Highlights include 221 lots of attributed, well-catalogued large cents with 100 early dates highlighted by the 1803 S-243 Gem BU, 1809 "gem" unc (ex-Mathewson and Paschal), and excellent middle and late dates. Also 100 lots of colonials: Newby farthing in silver, 1787 Clinton cent, Chalmers "long worm" shilling. 65 lots of attributed, quality half cents with good early dates and 8 proofs, 5 originals. 500 lots of good U.S. gold with many rarities, branch mint issues, and proofs in all series. This is an "error" catalogue as pages 43/44 are bound in between pages 92 and 93. Another underrated sale.

959. Stack's. The ROBERT J. KISSNER Collection. June 27-28, 1975. 91 pp. 1041 lots. PRL. 10 pls. VF. (15.00)

C-S 12397. Called the "1794 man" by Dr. Sheldon, Kissner assembled a super collection 213 early date large cents, well-attributed and provenanced, illustrated on 7 plates. 59 1794s with a "starred reverse", many "finest knowns" and census coins. Also, 130 attributed New Jersey cents, the most since the Schulman Spiro sale. A vastly underappreciated catalogue.

960. Stack's. The Outstanding TAD Collection of U.S. Large Cents. February 4-6, 1976. 127 pp. 1471 lots. Ills. VF. (12.00)

C-S 12431. C. Douglas Smith catalogued this important collection of cents. 199 lots of attributed large cents with 87 early dates. The text and provenances are most important. "The great majority [of cents], including significant rarities, are in such a splendid state of preservation that they have a hypnotic quality all their own." Additionally included are 105 lots of attributed bust half dollars.

961. Stack's. The JOHN WORK GARRETT Collection / The JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY. March 12-13, 1976. Brown flexible leatherette card covers. Preview booklet. 176 pp. 678 lots. Ills. 4 color pls. VF. (25.00)

C-S 11975*. Although this is not primarily known as a large cent sale, there are some important large cents here. This is perhaps the most elusive of all of the Stack's sales from the 1970's especially in nice condition. This is most important as these coins were the first part of the Garrett holdings to be offered at auction, three years prior to the Bowers & Ruddy Garrett collection sales. Highlights: 53 lots of large cents most purchased from George Massamora in 1883: 1793 wreath cent, S-11b, ex-Frossard 1884; important half cents: Gobrecht dollars; 200 proof gold coins from 1863 to 1906, including an 1875 gold proof set; 4 aluminum stellas; 140 patterns. Most important *

962. Stack's. The FLOYD T. STARR Collection of United States Large Cents & United States Half Cents. June 13-14, 1984. 156 pp. 930 lots. PRL. 8 color plates. Ills. WITH [The FLOYD T. STARR Collection - Part II] December 4-6, 1984. 214 pp. 1988 lots. PRL. 7 color plates (1 of large cents). Ills. Both nearly Mint. (25.00)

PART I: this superior collection is one of the stellar large cent sales and reference collections. 843 of the lots are meticulously catalogued, well-catalogued, superior condition large cents. Rarities abound such as 3 "strawberry leaf" cents.

PART II: many collectors are not aware of the importance of the second part of the Starr collection. 1792 Birch Cent. 1821 proof cent. 417 lots of attributed large cents from the Starr collection, several important cents formerly from the Frank Andrews collection. The non-large cent portion of the catalogue features good U.S. gold, a P/L BU 1802/1 bus dollar, a BU 1802 dollar, attractive ancient Greek silver coinage with an unsigned Euainetos type dekadrachm, good modern Greek, excellent English hammered and milled gold, and 4 Proof 1883 Hawaiian silver coins from eighth dollar to Dollar.

963. Superior. The DR. CHARLES L. RUBY Collection, Part I. February 11-13, 1974. 4to, card covers with mounted coil medallion. 213 pp. 2143 lots. PRL. 72 pls. The covers are better than Fine. The contents are VF. (25.00)

C-S 12056. A major sale of large cents, half cents, and colonials catalogued by Walter Breen. The promotional announcements indicated that the large cents were catalogued by Denis Loring. 361 lots of large cents with 21 1793s and 70 1794s. A census 1795 "Jefferson head" cent. 130 lots of half cents. 174 lots of colonials. Because of the large number of these catalogues which have been used for reference, it has become increasingly difficult to obtain nice copies of this important sale.

OTHER IMPORTANT U.S. AUCTION CATALOGUES

964. Paramount. The ROBERT E. KRUTHHOFFER, JR. Collection of U.S. Indian Head Half Eagles and Eagles. September 14, 1981. 8vo, black, orange, and white pictorial and printed CaC. 33 pp. 65 lots. Enlarged color illustrations of both sides of each lot. The bottom third of the contents are waterstained throughout. The covers though having been wet show no waterstaining. Wrinkling of the formerly wet portions has resulted. The top two-thirds are clean and VF. Overall perhaps VG or Fine. (25.00)

THE POST-SALE EDITION WITH THE PRICES TYPESET BY EACH LOT. This catalogue is scarce in the regular format. However, few collectors are aware that a post-sale priced copy was even issued. Each of the superb coins is thoroughly described and is accompanied by much descriptive text provided by the cataloguer, David Akers. Despite the water damage, this is most important and rare.

965. Peters, Jess. [Sale 100] The MISS E. ZAK Collection. The Story of Martin Luther and the Reformation. September 28, 1979. 4to, pictorial CaC. 43 pp. 742 lots. PRL. 34 pls. VF. (20.00)

The most sought after Peters sale has become a standard reference for the topic. Included are 467 lots of Luther and Reformation coins, medals, and tokens, most of which are plated on both sides. Also of significance are 372 listings of pertinent numismatic literature, and an unsurpassed bibliography.

966. Raymond, Wayte (cataloguer) [American Art Association / Anderson Galleries, Inc.] [Sale 15] Important Gold Coins. Property of the Estate of the Late GIULIA P. MOROSINI. October 10, 1932. 8vo, oversized printed tan CaC. 107 pp. 374 lots. 2 page foldout plate. VF. (25.00)

C-S 8009. Important for the U.S. collector for the Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson silver Indian Peace medals, and the Thomas McDonough silver medal from the War of 1812. The three medals are illustrated. A most important collection featuring 18th century Italian gold coins and multiple talers. Generally underappreciated as it was conducted during the depth of the Depression. A scarce earlier Raymond catalogue.

DR. MARIS' Collection of American Coins.

A Rare Copy of the Classic Harlan Page Smith Sale

967. Smith, Harlan P. [Sale 19] Catalogue of Colonial, United States, and Pattern Pieces from the Cabinet of DR. EDWARD MARIS of Philadelphia. June 21, 1886. Quarto. Brown paper covers. 30 pp. 501 lots. The first 350 lots are handpriced in ink in the margins. Photocopied PRL. The bottom margin of the tipped in Preface is missing; the text is complete. The heavily chipped covers are disbound. Some slight wrinkling in the outer

margins. The title page has a corner of discoloration and a 1 cm. tear in the bottom margin. The contents are essentially Fine. (100.00)

NOTE: this was lot 313 in our previous sale. We had to withdraw the item because it was listed as being A PRICED COPY. In fact, it is a mostly priced copy as only the first 350 lots are priced. The remaining lots, naturally Maris' New Jersey cents, are unpriced. However, a photocopied PRL is present.

Adams, A with two "A" ratings for colonials and patterns. Plated copies of the Maris sale are among the great rarities and treasures in numismatic literature. Additionally, even unplated copies of this sale rarely come to the marketplace.

U.S. GOLD COINAGE: Unc 1800 \$10.00. Unc \$5.00s: 1800, 1808, 1808/7, 1810, 1814, 1834, with proof 1834 and 1876. Unc \$2.50s: 1796 with stars "proof", 1798, 1804, 1808, 1832 "proof", 1834, proof 1863, and a 40 piece unc and proof set of \$2.50s from 1849 to 1886 with both varieties of the 1854 (the 1850 was Fine).

U.S. SILVER & COPPER COINAGE: Dollars: 1795 (both flowing hair and fillet head), 1798m 1799, 1802/1, proof 1836, 1849, proof 1854-1856 & 1858. The early half dollars tend to be EF or AU with the later bust and seated dates in unc, 27 lots. Quarters: unc 1853 no arrows, and 1855-S proof half with a letter stating that it was the first quarter ever coined in California. AU 1802 dime, 1820 "proof" dime (ex-Newlin). Excellent uncirculated half dimes: 1794 "finest known", ex-Newlin: 2 1795 varieties; 1796 N-1 "finest known: 1797 16 star; 1800 unc; (1802 poor;) 1805 p/l; those bust and seated dimes from 1830 onward with branch mints are unc or proof. Large cents, 41 lots: EF 1793 chain, 1794 unc "unsurpassed" Maris 36, VF 1795 "Jefferson head", unc 1796 liberty cap, 2 unc 1796 fillet heads, unc 1798, unc 1809, 1818 14 stars / endless wreath "I believe unique." Half cents: uncs from 1793 to 1795. An original 1861 Confederate cent in nickel.

U.S. PATTERN COINAGE, 117 lots: 1792 cent without the silver center, 1792 disme, 1838 plain edge proof dollar, 1839 proof dollar, 1874 proof silver 20 cent, 1876 centennial dollar in bronze "the only one known", 17 piece set of 1877 pattern half dollars (\$182.00), 12 piece set of 1879 and 1880 Morgan and Goloid proof aluminum pattern dollars (\$100.00) 1879 goloid \$20.00 pattern in gold (\$110.00).

COLONIALS, 197 lots: 1785 Nova Constellatio/Immune Columbia in silver, p/l unc; 1785 Nova Constellatio "blunt rays"/Immune Columbia; unc 1787 Immune Columbia; 1785 Confederatio copper; 1796 Albany Church penny; Fine Lord Baltimore sixpence; Franklin cent in silver, "probably unique" (\$201.00); Maris's collection of 151 attributed and well-catalogued lots of New Jersey cents catalogued by the man who wrote the book brought \$551.00.

"If our collections be the exponents of our tastes, those of Dr. Maris must be of a superior order, for rarely has so fine a collection of American Numismatic gems been brought under the auctioneer's hammer. As a sale this was the success of the year, many prominent dealers and collectors being present, and consequently prices ruled very high." (Ed. Frossard, NUMISMA, October 1, 1886. p. 8)

Although by size this catalogue was issued in large format (11.5 x 9 inches), the arrangement of the interior margins clearly indicated that Smith made the necessary provisions for the numismatists who had this catalogue to have it professionally bound and trimmed to the normal small format size. In all of Smith's previous catalogues the left margins on the versos (the pages on the left side) were 3 centimeters wide with the left margins of the rectos (the pages on the right side) being 2 centimeters wide. In this large format catalogue, the left margins on the versos (the left side page) were also 3 centimeters wide. However, the left margins of the rectos (the right side page) were 8 centimeters wide. Also in Smith's regular sales, the bottom margins were 4 centimeters. Thus the large edge and bottom margins would enable this catalogue to be trimmed to small format size without it negatively affecting the contents or its appearance.

Therefore, although there presently are defects in the condition of this catalogue, this not only deserves to be professionally trimmed and bound in a suitable binding, but it is also apparent that Smith originally provided for it to be done. Subsequently, with a quality small format binding, and since most of the damage to the covers would be trimmed away, this would become a most attractive Very Fine copy with the owner having the special benefit of possessing a priced copy of a classic sale in American numismatic history.

EUROPEAN AUCTION CATALOGUES

Following are several lots of important European auction catalogues. Many are quite scarce and eagerly pursued.

968. Bank Leu (Zurich) and Munzen und Medaillen (Basel). Sammlung WALTER NIGGELER. Parts I, Griechische Munzen. II, Griechische Munzen der Romischen Kaiserzeit. Romische Munzen: Republik bis Augustus. Part III, Romische Munzen: Kaiserzeit nach Augustus. 1965-1967. 4to, matching gray CaC. 67, 62, 64 pp. 1504 total lots. Valuation sheet for each part. 32, 32, 28 pls. VF. (50.00)

C-S 1981* & C-S 4430. Grierson, p. 285. An important collection of superb ancient Greek and Roman coinage. Although the superb cataloguing is entirely in German, all of the lots are thoroughly attributed; most are provenanced; there is extensive descriptive text material; and virtually all lots are illustrated on both sides. A modern classic.

969. Baranowsky, Michele (Milan). Collezione VALERIO TRAVERSO di Genova. MR. JOSEPH MARTINI of New York e di altri Amatori. Monete Greche e Romane. February 25, 1931. 4to, tan CaC. 237 pp. 3351 lots. Estimate sheets. 76 fine plates. The slightly soiled covers are slightly chipped at the edges and the backstrip. The contents are clean and Fine. (100.00)

C-S 1780. Grierson, p. 288. Important Aes Grave. Although there are 700 lots of impressive ancient Greek, the 2500 lots of Roman coinage through 472 A.D. are most important, especially the bronzes. In our fifth mail bid sale, a significantly inferior copy sold for \$105.00.

970. Calico, X. & F. (As part of the annual Schulman and Kreisberg Auction) One of the Most Important collections of Gold Coins of the Independent Spanish American Republics. May 21, 1966. 8vo, white glossy CaC. 31 pp. Numbered lots 2251 to 2372. Ills. VF to nearly Mint. (20.00)

This extremely scarce catalogue appears to have been issued with a vertical fold or defect on the front cover. We have been fortunate to handle a fair number of these sales. This is one of the very few that do not have the fold. Highlights: 1892 Salvador set of unc 20, 10, 5, 2 1/2 pesos; 1875 Salvador 4 piece proof set of 5 to 100 Bolivares; Paraguay 4 pesos Honduras 20 pesos; Mexican 60 pesos.

971. Santamaria, P. & P. [Sale 30: CARLO GUSBERTI]. Collezione Gusberti. Monete Greche, Romane, Italiane ed Estere. Medaglie e Libri di Numismatica. November 21, 1932. 4to, CaC. 82 pp. 1009 lots. Estimation sheet. 34 fine plates on thick paper. The covers are VG. The contents are clean and Fine. (50.00)

C-S 10242. Grierson, p. 130. The important, most attractive Greek coinage is from Italian and Sicilian mints. The Roman, highlighted by exceptional bronzes, is most important. This is a particularly noteworthy sale for the aesthetic quality and the condition of the ancients. An important sale.

972. Sotheby and Co. (London) Catalogue of the HUTH Collection of Coins and Medals, Parts I-III. 1927. 8vo, original green CaC. Each of the covers are chipped at the backstrip. The back cover of the third part is disbound, but present. Many of the other covers are loosening. The covers are otherwise VG. Four interior leaves of the third portion have been repaired with cellophane tape; some of the adhesive extends beyond the tape. Otherwise, the contents are clean and Fine. (125.00)

[1] FIRST PORTION: The English, Scottish, Irish, and Colonial Coins. April 4-7, 1927. 74 pp. 738 lots. 14 fine plates. Featured are the coinages of Mary Queen of Scots, Elizabeth, and Anne including the 1554 sovereign, the 1553 ryal, a double set of the five guineas of Anne. Also offered are important Norman coins, milled coinage, Charles I with "gunmoney" silver proofs. Also offered are many Anne halfpennies and farthings, Elizabeth 1601 halfgroat in gold, and an 1807 George III penny in platinum.

[2] SECOND PORTION: The English Medals. April 8, 1927. 22 pp. 148 lots. THE PRICES NEATLY INKED IN THE MARGINS. 6 fine plates. C-S 9783. Featured are a 1555 Mary Tudor unique gold medal, Elizabeth "Dangers Averted 1589", and a Cromwell "Pax queritur Bello" in gold. Also offered are good medals of William and Mary, and 40 medals of Queen Anne, 20 in gold.

[3] THIRD PORTION: The Greek, Roman and Foreign Coins and Medals. June 14-17, 1927. 75 pp. 773 lots. 13 fine plates. Huth's principal interest was the coinage of Spain. Offered here are 240 lots from Celtiberian times onward. Also featured are good Greek and Roman coins, good Italian gold since 1600, Russian in all metals with 25 lots in platinum, also coinages of South and Central America. Also included are the pattern crowns and medals of Queens Isabella II and Christina, and Alfonso XIII of Spain, Queen Ranavolo of Madagascar, and the princesses of Hawaii.

Sales of all three parts of the HUTH Collection are rare. We would expect that the purchaser of these three catalogues would want to have them professionally rebound. Subsequently, they would be fine or better copies.

973. Sotheby and Co. Catalogue of the Important Collection of Saxon & English Coins, the Property of E.H. WHEELER. March 12-14, 1930. 8vo, original green CaC. 94 pp. 599 lots. 16 fine pls. The covers are chipped at the backstrip. The covers are otherwise worn and essentially VG. Other than some cornering of the front cover and the adjacent seven leaves, the contents are clean and Fine. (35.00)

C-S 6149. Highlights: Pennies of Henry I and Stephen, a rarity of Matilda and Prince Henry of Scotland, Prince Henry of Anjou, Eustace Fitzjohn, Robert de Stuteville. Also featured are a double penny of Henry II, two Edward I groats, Edward III farthing, Henry IV half groats, the heavy penny and half groat coinage of Edward IV, Norwich half groat, Henry VII "Septim" shilling, Henry VIII Tournay half groat and portcullis farthing, 1563 Elizabeth 3 farthings, a Scarborough Castle sixpence, and a Charles II Petition crown with an uninterrupted pedigree since 1762. This is a meticulously catalogued sale with extensive provenancing. Important and scarce.

974. Sotheby & Co. (Zurich). The FREDERICK J. WOODBRIDGE (NY) Collection of Greek and Roman Coins (in 2 separate catalogues). May 7, 1975. Small 4to, green CaC. np. 345 total lots. Photocopied PRL for each catalogued stapled to the inside front cover. 24 plates, each lot illustrated on both sides. The covers are rubbed and therefore Fine. The contents are VF. (30.00)

C-S 1793. Excellent Greek gold and silver with provenances, dekadrachms by Kimon and Euainetos, excellent Syracusan. Outstanding Roman sestertii, the only Divus Titus ever auctioned to that time, with its complete provenance, excellent Roman silver and gold.

975. Vinchon, Jean. Collections ROGER PEYREFITTE. Monnaies Grecques en Or et en Argent. Monnaies Consulaires et Imperiales Romaines en Or et en Argent.... April 29, 1974. 4to, red leatherette, gilt. np. 233 lots. Frontis. Map. Each lot illustrated on both sides. 4 superb color plates. VF. (25.00)

C-S 3687. This is a superb catalogue of a superb collection presented superbly. Each of the lots is meticulously catalogued. The Greek coinage is most aesthetic and in excellent state of preservation. Excellent Sicilian and Syracusan silver and gold with a Kimon and Euainetos dekadrachm, a Carthage dekadrachm. Superior Macedonian and Thrace. 31 pieces of Roman gold in excellent preservation from Julius and Augustus Caesar to Constantinus II. Also included is an Antinous bronze medallion. Also included are engraved gems. For some reason the leatherette covers for this magnificent sale generally have a sticky surface to which pieces of other catalogue covers adhere. This is absolutely free of that defect.

Selected Duplicates from a NORTHWESTERN COLLECTOR

976. American Numismatic Association. SELECTIONS FROM THE NUMISMATIST. 4 volumes. 1960-1961. 8vo, blue cloth. The covers Fine, the contents VF. (40.00)

[1] UNITED STATES COINS. [2] UNITED STATES PAPER MONEY AND MISCELLANEOUS which also covers colonials, private gold, coin designs, and medals. [3] ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL COINS. [4] FOREIGN CURRENCY, more precisely foreign coinage. The volumes consist of pertinent articles selected from the NUMISMATIST. Not only is this an excellent compendium, but many of the articles are taken from the early issues which are most elusive. This is a nice mini-library which has been underappreciated and which is becoming scarce complete and in nice condition.

977. Bowers, Q. David. ADVENTURES IN RARE COINS. 1979. 4to, pictorial boards. 305 pp. Ills. Nearly Mint. (15.00)

A QDB award winner covering the "history, art, romance, and investment aspect of coins". A most readable reference with excellent material and supporting illustrations. For those of you who have this gathering dust on your shelf, take it down and read it. This really is marvelous.

978. Bowers, Q. David. **COINS AND COLLECTORS**. 1965, 2nd printing. 12mo, cloth. 214 pp. Ills. VF. (10.00)

"Different aspects of coin collecting ... together with a tour through numismatic history of the past two centuries" (cribbed from the dust jacket). QDB's debut effort as the premier purveyor of readable numismatic information of the second half of the twentieth century. An excellent survey.

979. Bowers, Q. David. **HIGH PROFITS FROM RARE COINS INVESTMENTS**. April 1974, 1st edition, 1st printing. 12mo, pictorial CaC. 208 pp. Ills. Mint. (15.00)

Now in its eleventh edition, QDB's common sense approach is a well-founded approach to coin investment. The book also contains much non-investment numismatic information. This is a good opportunity to obtain the scarce first printing of the first edition of this work which sold out within a month of its release.

980. Bowers, Q. David. **THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES COINAGE AS ILLUSTRATED BY THE GARRETT COLLECTION**. 1979. 4to, black leatherette, gilt. 572 pp. Color and monochrome illustrations. Nearly Mint. (30.00)

Arguably the best single survey of American numismatics. This was the first book to win the book of the year in the same year from the PNG and the NLG.

981. Bowers, Q. David. **UNITED STATES GOLD COINS. An Illustrated History**. 1984. 4to, red leatherette, gilt. 415 pp. Ills. 24 color plates. Nearly Mint. (30.00)

A QDB opus produced as an adjunct to the historic Bowers and Ruddy sale of the Eliasberg collection sale which realized \$12 million. A readable, yet serious narrative written in the amiable Bowers style.

982. Breen, Walter. **WALTER BREEN'S COMPLETE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF U.S. AND COLONIAL COINS**. 1988. 4to, cloth. 754 pp. Ills. Mint sealed in the original shipping box. (50.00)

Named the Book-of-the Year by the Numismatic Literary Guild and anyone else who has ever seen it, "this definitive work describes in exacting detail every major and minor American coin" from 1616. The quantity and quality of the information in it is mind-boggling. This is already a modern classic written by the premier American numismatic scholar/researcher of the last forty years. Incidentally, the current second printing now is listed for a retail price of \$100.00 compared to its original retail list of \$75.00/

983. Crosby, Sylvester Sage. **EARLY COINS OF THE AMERICA**. 1983 Quarterman reprint of the 1875 original. Large quarto, gray cloth. 378 pp. 11 pls. Mint. (30.00)

This quality reprint includes facsimiles of the 1873 and 1878 title pages, the proposed introduction, and illustrations for two of the wrappers of the original 12 subscription parts. This is the best of the reprints with the supplementary material making it of special reference value.

984. Newcomb, Howard R. **UNITED STATES COPPER CENTS, 1816-1857**. 1985 Quarterman reprint of the 1944 original. 4to, gray cloth. 284 pp. 11 pls. Nearly Mint. (35.00)

Includes the addition of John D. Wright's important 1985 data on new varieties and an updated rarity guide.

SOME AUCTION CATALOGUES

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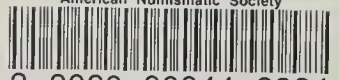
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